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#### General Introduction

#### Animal Communication and sensory signals

Animal communication transmits information using different types of sensory signals (e.g. visual, auditory, olfactory and contact). These signals have different communication purposes such as courtship, territorial defense, maintaining groups together and minimizing predation. However, the efficacy of the signal transmission from an emitter to a receiver is subject to habitat pressures (Endler, 1992; Endler, 1993).

According to the Sensory Drive Hypothesis (SDH), habitat physical conditions can "drive" the evolution of sensory signals in particular directions (Endler, 1992). In birds, the SDH has been tested in acoustic and visual signals for a variety of groups. Regarding acoustic signals, some studies showed that song structure is related to sound transmission capacity in different habitats. Whereas some studies found a relationship between habitat and song frequency traits (e.g. Morton, 1975; Slabbekoorn and Smith, 2002; Seddon, 2005; Kirschel *et al.*, 2009; Mason and Burns, 2015), in other studies habitat was correlated only with temporal components of song structure (e.g. Badyaev and Leaf, 1997; Derryberry et al., 2018). With respect to visual signals, some plumage aspects such as color, brightness, and pattern seem to vary according to light conditions of the environment in order to provide maximum contrast against the background (e.g. Marchetti, 1993; Endler and Thery, 1996; McNaught and Owens, 2002; Gomez and Théry, 2004; Shultz and Burns 2013; Shultz and Burns 2017). Closed habitat birds have brighter and more complex color patterns than birds from open habitat (Marchetti, 1993). In the forests, canopy birds have brighter coloration and more diverse color patterns than understory birds (Gomez and Théry, 2004; Shultz and Burns 2017).

In addition to habitat effects, other factors such as energetic limits, predation and parasitism risk can limit the investment in more than one type of sensory signal (Endler, 1993; Partan and Marler, 1999; Partan and Marler, 2005). Due to this high cost, it was proposed the existence of an evolutionary trade-off between the different types of sensory signals in organisms (Darwin, 1871), termed Transfer (Gilliard, 1956) (TH) or Tradeoff hypothesis (Repentigny et al., 2000). Few studies have tested the TH in birds and they showed diverse results. Two studies found a trade-off between song complexity and plumage elaboration in cardueline finches (Badyaev and Weckworth, 2002) and in new world warblers (Laverde-R., 2017), whereas four studies did not find any trade-off between these signals in trogons (Ornelas et al., 2009), tanagers (Mason et al., 2014), estrildid finches (Gomes et al., 2017) and old-world orioles (Matysioková et al., 2017). Four other studies found a positive correlation between these signals in North American wood warblers (Shutler and Weatherhead, 1990), 123 species of North American oscines (Repentigny et al., 2000), Asian barbets (Gonzalez-Voyer et al., 2013) and 1023 species of songbirds (Webb et al., 2016). These conflicting results might result from methodological differences or because this hypothesis is simply not held in all groups. Furthermore, only a few studies tested the TH considering the habitat conditions as a covariate (Gonzalez-Voyer et al., 2013; Mason et al., 2014; Laverde-R., 2017; Gomes et al., 2017). Therefore, the fundamental research goal of the proposed research was to assess the existence of a trade-off between acoustic and visual signals (TH), while simultaneously considering potential effects of habitat conditions (SDH) in a diverse group of Neotropical birds.

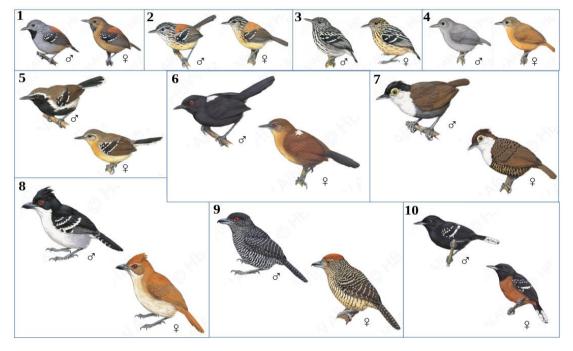
#### Family Thamnophilidae

The Thamnophilidae is a large family of insectivorous passerine birds which contains about 230 species and is supported by recent molecular studies (Irestedt *et al.*, 2004; Moyle *et al.*, 2009; Bravo *et al.*, 2012; Bravo *et al.*, 2014). They are diurnal birds that exhibit great morphological, ecological, and behavioral diversity. The family members are commonly known as antibrds due to a common foraging behavior of following swarms of army-ants in order to prey arthropods flushed by these ants (Willis and Oniki, 1978). The family distribution is Neotropical and the vast majority inhabits lowland and foothill humid forests (Zimmer and Isler, 2016). The greatest diversity is found in the Amazon Basin, where 40-45 species may occur syntopically in various places in Bolivia, Peru, Brazil and Colombia (e.g. Terborgh *et al.*, 1990). However, the species diversity falls off with increasing elevation in mountain regions, with none occurring above 3000 m. Most of the species are arboreal, occupying all forest strata, i.e. from the ground to the canopy (Zimmer and Isler, 2016).

Antbird songs are relatively simple and usually consist of series of simple notes delivered in a stereotyped pattern, referred to as loudsong by Willis (Willis 1967; Zimmer and Isler 2016). Despite their simplicity, loudsong composition exhibits a great variety of ways in which notes are shaped and combined. Loudsongs are vocalized in different contexts, but usually they seem to be used in maintaining pairs together, and in territorial defense. Most of the thamnophilid species have males and females with similar patterned loudsongs. Both sexes can have near identical loudsongs, just varying in the pitch. Females of some species have higher-pitched loudsongs than males, whereas other females have loudsong in the same pitch as the male, or at a lower pitch (Zimmer and Isler 2016). Moreover, all vocalizations in the Thamnophilidae family are assumed to be innate or genetically determined and independent of learning or cultural evolution

(Touchton *et al.*, 2014). Thus, they have an important role in the maintenance of species integrity and are of extreme importance for diagnosing species (Isler *et al.*, 1998).

The thamnophilid plumages does not have great color variation, but most have attractive patterns in black and white or rufous, buff or brown tones. Many species also have spotted and streaked patterns that can cover all body or just specific regions like throat, belly, crown, nape and back (Figure 1). Sexual dimorphism is pronounced in almost all family. Whereas males usually have combinations of grey, black and white; females often have brown, rufous and buff tones (Zimmer and Isler, 2016).



**Figure 1.** Some antbird species showing the plumage and sexual dimorphism diversity in the family. 1. *Epinecrophylla ornata*, 2. *Terenura maculata*, 3. *Myrmotherula cherriei*, 4. *Myrmotherula grisea*, 5. *Formicivora grisea*, 6. *Pyriglena leuconota*, 7. *Rhegmatorhina hoffmanns*i, 8. *Taraba major*, 9. *Cymbilaimus lineatus*, 10. *Microrhopias quixensis*. Images were extracted from the *Handbook of the Birds of the World Alive*. Lynx Edicions, Barcelona.

Although their diet is basically composed of arthropods, antbirds exhibit a wide variety of foraging behaviors. Many antibrd species participate in mixed-species foraging flocks. These flocks are formed of different species that unite and move together during foraging in the tropical forests in order to enhance foraging and decrease chances of predation (Powell, 1979). These flocks are formed by several closely related species and occur throughout the year (Powell, 1979; Munn, 1985). Another common behavior is observed in the dead-leaf users. Many thamnophilids species specialize in foraging dead leaves that falls from the canopy and are trapped by vines and other vegetation most in the understory, creating an arboreal leaf litter, which provides hiding places for many arthropods (Remsen and Parker, 1984). Lastly, the most noted foraging behavior present in the family consists of following army-ants. A number of antbirds have specialized in following swarms raiders in order to prey many arthropods that are trapped or flushed by these carnivorous ants (Willis and Oniki, 1978). All described foraging behaviors when present in a species can be obligatory or occasional.

#### Tribe Formicivorini

The family is subdivided in three subfamilies: Eucrepomidinae, Myrmornithinae, and Thamnophilinae (Bravo *et al.*, 2012). The latter contains most of the species in the family and is organized in five tribes: Microrhopiini, Formicivorini, Thamnophilini, Pyriglenini e Pithyini (Moyle *et al.*, 2009). One of the strongly supported groups in the family by recent molecular studies is the tribe Formicivorini, which contains 36 species, commonly known as antwrens (Bravo *et al.*, 2012; Bravo *et al.*, 2014, Remsen *et al.*, 2018). They are small birds that inhabit a wide diversity of habitats and exhibit contrasting patterns of foraging behavior, acoustic, and visual signals. They are primarily distributed in lowland

forests and different species are associated with different habitats (e.g. flooded forests, white sand forests) and foraging strata (e.g. understory, canopy). Foraging behavior is also variable, some species engage in obligate or facultative mixed-species flocking behavior, whereas others forage solitary or in small family groups (Bravo *et al.*, 2014; Zimmer and Isler, 2016).

Acoustic and visual signals are variable in the group. Their songs show little to no sexual dimorphism and they are composed by a series of single notes that ranges in number of notes, duration, intensity, frequency, and composition. Song and note structure can vary geographically in some species. Regarding plumage, antwrens are sexually dimorphic. They exhibit small color variation, but have high variation in plumage patterns, ranging from plain colors to spots and streaks around their body regions (e.g. throat, wings, dorsal and ventral region) (Zimmer and Isler, 2016). Some species have white or pale gray flanks that contrasts with dark body feathers. Another pattern present in a few antwrens is a bright white interscapular patch in the center of the back. The species with these different patterns of flanks and interscapular usually display it, suggesting an important role in communication.

It is expected that the interaction between ecology and behavior influences the structure of acoustic and sensory signals. For instance, because mixed-species flocking behavior depends on inter and intraspecific communication among group members (Powell, 1979), it could be predicted that species engaging in this behavior exhibit more structured sensory signals.

Therefore, the combination of a variation in acoustic and visual signals, occupied habitats and mixed-species flocking behavior make the tribe Formicivorini an ideal group to test the TH, and a possible influence

of habitat (SDH) and mixed-species flocking behavior in the structure of these signals.

#### Justification

The tribe Formicivorini is an ideal group for this study because it has a great diversity in habitat preferences, foraging behavior and inter/intraspecific interaction levels that can generate a variety of communication possibilities. However, the way these traits may be influencing the visual and acoustic communication in the evolutionary context of the group is still unknown. Therefore, this study aimed at unravelling how habitat (SDH) and foraging behavior can influence the structure of acoustic and visual signals, and elucidate whether there is an evolutionary trade-off between these sensory signals (TH). Besides contributing to our understanding of the evolution of acoustic and visual signals in the Formicivorini, it will also shed light on the TH while accounting for possible effects posed by habitat (SDH) and behavioral traits.

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## Capítulo Único

# Evolução correlacionada dos sinais acústicos e visuais está associada com ecologia e comportamento nas choquinhas e formigueiros (Thamnophilidae)

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#### Resumo

A comunicação animal transmite informações usando diferentes tipos de sinais sensoriais que possuem propósitos específicos (e.g. cortejo, defesa territorial, manutenção de grupos unidos e minimização da predação) e estão suscetíveis a pressões do habitat (Hipótese de Condução Sensorial - HCS). Em aves, alguns estudos de sinais acústicos e visuais demonstraram que a estrutura do canto está associada com a capacidade de transmissão do som em diferentes habitats e alguns aspectos de plumagem (e.g. coloração, brilho e padrão) parecem variar de acordo com as condições de iluminação do ambiente. Além dos efeitos de habitat, outros fatores como limitação energética, risco de predação e de parasitismo podem limitar o investimento em mais de um tipo de sinal sensorial. Devido a esse alto custo, foi proposta a existência de uma demanda conflitante (trade-off) evolutiva entre os diferentes tipos de sinais sensoriais denominada Hipótese de Transferência (HT) ou de "Trade-off". Os poucos estudos que testaram a HT em aves apresentaram resultados contrastantes, sendo corroborada apenas em dois trabalhos. Além disso, há uma baixa quantidade de trabalhos que consideraram as condições de habitat como covariáveis. Assim, nós avaliamos a HT entre os sinais acústicos e visuais, considerando simultaneamente os efeitos potenciais das condições de habitat (HCS) em um diverso grupo de aves subóscines neotropicais, conhecidas comumente papa-formigas como (Thamnophilidae). Especificamente, nós integramos a filogenia em escala genômica da tribo Formicivorini (36 espécies) com dados vocais, de plumagem, ecológicos e comportamentais utilizando uma abordagem comparativa filogenética para testar simultaneamente a HT, a HCS e também considerando a influência do comportamento de formação de bandos mistos na diversidade da estrutura dos sinais acústicos e visuais. Enquanto que demandas conflitantes significativas entre algumas medidas

de plumagem e de canto foram encontradas em ambos os sexos (e.g. luminância dorsal contra declive de frequência) corroborando a HT, uma tendência oposta não significativa foi encontrada entre o dimorfismo sexual de plumagem e canto. Todas essas relações são influenciadas por condições de habitat e comportamento como covariáveis, corroborando a HCS e a influência do comportamento de bandos mistos na evolução da estrutura dos sinais acústicos e visuais.

**Palavras-chave:** Hipótese de condução sensorial, hipótese de transferência, Formicivorini, plumagem, canto.

## Single Chapter

# Correlated evolution of acoustic and visual signals is associated with ecological and behavioral traits in antwrens (Thamnophilidae)

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#### **Abstract**

Animal communication transmits information using different sensory signals that have particular purposes (e.g. courtship, territorial defense, maintaining groups together and minimizing predation) and are susceptible to habitat pressures (Sensory Drive Hypothesis - SDH). In birds, some studies on acoustic and visual signals showed that song structure is associated with sound transmission capacity in different habitats and some plumage features (e.g. color, brightness and pattern) seem to vary according to light conditions of the environment. In addition to habitat effects, other factors such as energetic limits, predation, and parasitism risk can limit the investment in more than one type of sensory signal. Due to this high cost, it was proposed the existence of an evolutionary trade-off between the different types of sensory signals termed Transfer (TH) or Trade-off hypothesis. Few studies that have tested the TH in birds showed contrasting results, being corroborated only in two studies. Also, there is a low in the number of studies that have considered habitat conditions as covariates (SDH). Here, we assess the TH between acoustic and visual signals, while simultaneously considering potential effects of habitat conditions (SDH) in a diverse group of Neotropical suboscine birds, commonly known as antbirds (Thamnophilidae). Specifically, we integrated a genome-scale phylogeny of the tribe Formicivorini (36 species) with vocal, plumage, ecological, and behavioral data within a phylogenetic comparative framework to simultaneously test the TH and SDH while assessing the influence of mixed-species flocking foraging behavior on the structural diversity of acoustic and visual signals. Whereas in both sexes we found significant trade-offs between some plumage and vocal traits (e.g. dorsal luminance versus frequency slope), providing support for the TH, we found a non-significant opposite trend between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism. All these relationships are influenced by habitat conditions and behavioral traits as covariates, corroborating the SDH and mixed-species flocking behavior influence in the evolution of visual and acoustic signals.

**Keywords:** Sensory drive hypothesis, transfer hypothesis, Formicivorini, plumage, song.

#### Introduction

Sensory signals, such as avian acoustic and visual traits, are used to transmit information with different communication purposes (e.g. courtship, territorial defense, maintaining groups together and minimizing predation) and are susceptible to habitat pressures (Endler, 1992; Endler, 1993). According to the Sensory Drive Hypothesis (SDH), habitat physical conditions can "drive" the evolution of sensory signals in particular directions (Endler, 1992). For instance, some studies have shown that song structure is associated to sound transmission capacity in different habitats (e.g. Morton, 1975; Badyaev and Leaf, 1997; Slabbekoorn and Smith, 2002; Seddon, 2005; Kirschel *et al.*, 2009; Mason and Burns, 2015; Derryberry *et al.*, 2018), some plumage features such as color, brightness, and pattern seem to vary according to light conditions of the environment to provide maximum contrast against the background (e.g. Marchetti, 1993; Endler and Thery, 1996; McNaught and Owens, 2002; Gomez and Théry, 2004; Shultz and Burns 2013; Shultz and Burns 2017).

In addition to habitat effects, other factors such as energetic limits, predation and parasitism risk can limit the investment in more than one type of sensory signal (Endler, 1993; Partan and Marler, 1999; Partan and Marler, 2005). Due to this high cost, it was proposed the existence of an evolutionary trade-off between the different types of sensory signals in organisms (Darwin, 1871), termed Transfer (Gilliard, 1956; TH) or Trade-off hypothesis (Repentigny *et al.*, 2000). Few studies have tested the TH in birds and they showed diverse results. Just two studies found a trade-off between song complexity and plumage elaboration in cardueline finches (Badyaev and Weckworth, 2002) and in new world warblers (Laverde-R., 2017), whereas four studies did not find any trade-off between these signals in trogons (Ornelas *et al.*, 2009), tanagers (Mason *et al.*, 2014), estrildid finches (Gomes *et al.*, 2017) and old world orioles (Matysioková *et al.*,

2017), and four other studies found a positive correlation between these signals in North American wood warblers (Shutler and Weatherhead, 1990), 123 species of North American oscines (Repentigny *et al.*, 2000), Asian barbets (Gonzalez-Voyer *et al.*, 2013) and 1023 species of songbirds (Webb *et al.*, 2016). These conflicting results might be explained by methodological differences or because this hypothesis is simply not held in all groups. Furthermore, only a few studies tested the TH considering the habitat conditions as a covariate (Gonzalez-Voyer *et al.*, 2013; Mason *et al.*, 2014; Laverde-R., 2017; Gomes *et al.*, 2017). Therefore, the fundamental research goal of the proposed research was to assess the existence of a trade-off between acoustic and visual signals (TH), while simultaneously considering potential effects of habitat conditions (SDH) in a diverse group of Neotropical birds.

The Thamnophilidae is a large family of insectivorous passerine birds that exhibit high phenotypic, ecological, and behavioral diversity (Zimmer and Isler, 2016). One of the strongly supported groups in the family by recent molecular studies is the tribe Formicivorini, which contains 36 species, commonly known as antwrens (Irestedt et al., 2004; Moyle et al., 2009; Bravo et al., 2012; Bravo et al., 2014, Remsen et al., 2018). They are small birds that inhabit a wide diversity of habitats and exhibit contrasting patterns of foraging behavior, acoustic, and visual signals. They are primarily distributed in lowland forests and different species are associated with different habitats (e.g. flooded forests, white sand forests) and microhabitats (e.g. understory, canopy). Foraging behavior is also variable, some species engage in obligate or facultative mixed-species flocking behavior, whereas others forage solitarily or in small family groups (Bravo et al., 2014; Zimmer and Isler, 2016). Acoustic and visual signals are variable in the group. Their songs show little to no sexual dimorphism and they tend to be composed by a series of single notes

that vary in number of notes, duration, intensity, frequency, and composition. Regarding plumage, antwrens are sexually dimorphic. They exhibit small color variation, but have high variation in plumage patterns, ranging from plain colors to spots and streaks around their body regions (e.g. throat, wings, dorsal and ventral region) (Zimmer and Isler, 2016). It might be expected that the interaction between ecology and behavior influences the structure of acoustic and sensory signals. For instance, because mixed-species flocking behavior depends on inter and intraspecific communication among group members (Powell, 1979), it could be predicted that species engaging in this behavior exhibit more structured sensory signals.

Here, we integrate a genome-scale phylogeny of the tribe Formicivorini with vocal, plumage, ecological, and behavioral data within a phylogenetic comparative framework to simultaneously test the TH and SDH while assessing the influence of mixed-species flocking foraging behavior on the structural diversity of acoustic and visual signals. Given the contrasting patterns of both vocal and plumage variation and the varying levels of mixed-species flocking behavior in this group of antwrens, we anticipate a negative correlation between acoustic and visual signals (TH) with an influence of habitat effects (SDH) and mixed-species flocking behavior in the structure of these signals.

#### Methods

Phylogenetic hypothesis

We used a molecular phylogeny of the Formicivorini (Bravo *et al.* unpublished data) that contains all species currently recognized in the tribe (Remsen *et al.*, 2018), except for the critically endangered *Terenura sicki*, and that was built using 2,400 loci from 53 of the 74 named subspecieslevel taxa.

#### Vocal data and analyses

We collected a total of 267 audio recordings (194 males and 73 females), corresponding to 64 male and 38 female taxa, respectively (Appendix B; Table S4). The selected recordings represent a series of simple notes delivered in a stereotyped pattern (i.e., loudsongs sensu Willis 1967) for both sexes and were obtained from the Macaulay Library (https://www.macaulaylibrary.org), Xeno-canto (https://www.xeno-Vielliard canto.org), Fonoteca Neotropical Jacques (https://www2.ib.unicamp.br/fnjv), Isler and Whitney (2002) and private audio collections. Loudsongs were analyzed using Raven Pro 1.5 software and following standardized protocols (Isler et al., 1998; Seddon, 2005; Mason et al., 2014). Spectrograms, oscillogram and power spectra of each recording were generated and used to extract the following measurements: song duration, number of notes (note count), note types, note rate, note diversity, low frequency, high frequency, peak frequency, song bandwidth and frequency slope. Oscillograms were used to determine the song duration. Spectrograms were visually inspected to assert the number of notes and note types. Power spectra were used to obtain frequency-based measurements using a Hann window with 512 samples, 3 dB filter bandwidth of 124 Hz and DFT size of 512 samples. An example of an extracted sonogram and spectrogram are available in figure S1 (Appendix A) and descriptions of each vocal trait are available in table S1 (Appendix B). We measured at least two loudsongs per recording and three male and three female different individuals per taxon when available.

To obtain a proxy for vocal sexual dimorphism, we calculated the euclidean distance of all song measurements of males and females for each taxon between sexes. The euclidean distance was calculated using the dist function of stats package in R (R Core Team, 2018).

Lastly, we conducted a Phylogenetic Principal Component Analysis (pPCA) with all song measurements of each sex in order to reduce multivariate dataset to an uncorrelated set of variables that explain the distribution of data in males and females, while correcting for phylogenetic non-independence (Revell, 2009). The pPCA was implemented in phytools R package (Revell, 2013) using the lambda model. Before performing the pPCA, we applied a log transformation in all song measurements. The first (pPC1) and the second (pPC2) male song pPCA accounted for 43% and 34% of the total data distribution and had a high lambda value ( $\lambda$ =0.77), indicating a strong phylogenetic signal (Table 1). In females, song pPC1 and pPC2 explained 45% and 29% of the data distribution (Table 2) and the lambda value was lower ( $\lambda$ =0.20). We used song pPC1 and pPC2 scores values for each taxon as components of song variation.

**Table 1.** Load values for the first and second pPCA of song traits in males. The first and the second pPCA axis of song ( $\lambda$ =0.77) explain 43% and 34% of the data distribution. Load values greater or equal to 0.50 are bolded.

Song character	PC1	PC2
Note count	0.38	-0.90
Note types	0.52	0.04
Low frequency	-0.45	0.17
High frequency	0.23	0.13
Song duration	-0.74	-0.49
Peak frequency	0.09	0.20
Note diversity	-0.08	0.93
Note rate	0.90	-0.35
Song bandwidth	0.46	0.04
Frequency slope	0.84	0.46

**Table 2.** Load values for the first and second pPCA of song traits in females. The first and the second pPCA axis of song ( $\lambda$ =0.20) explain 45% and 29% of the data distribution. Load values greater or equal to 0.50 are bolded.

Song character	PC1	PC2
Note count	-0.95	-0.24
Note types	-0.20	-0.24
Low frequency	0.44	0.29
High frequency	0.19	-0.04
Song duration	-0.65	0.66
Peak frequency	0.36	-0.09
Note diversity	0.89	0.12
Note rate	-0.43	-0.86
Song bandwidth	-0.04	-0.27
Frequency slope	0.57	-0.74

#### Plumage data and analyses

Plumage coloration and pattern data were obtained directly from standardized photos of museum specimens housed at major ornithological collections. We photographed a total of 606 specimens (319 males; 287 females) representing 73 taxa for males and 70 for females (4.23 specimens per taxa for each sex) (Appendix B; Table S5). We gathered data from nine different topographical body regions: head (i.e. crown and nape), throat, breast, belly, back, cheek, flanks, wing coverts and tail (Appendix A; Figure S2). Breast and belly were select as unique region called "belly" due to the difficulty of delimiting these regions separately. Photos were taken in RAW format in the presence of a standard 18% grey card (GC-3 3-in-1 Digital Grey Card; JJC Photography Equipment Co., Ltd) and measuring tape to standardize color and size proportions in all images (Stevens *et al.*, 2007). These standardized photos were calibrated and had plumage data using the software ImageJ with the *Image calibration and analysis toolbox* plugin (Troscianko and Stevens, 2015). Plumage data

consist of standardized directive RGB reflectance values, luminance, contrast and pattern measurements based on Fast Fourier bandpass filtering. The standardized directive RGB reflectance values correspond to the Red, Green and Blue color channels, which are based on the camera color system. The images are in 16-bit, so the RGB reflectance values range from zero to 65535 and it is relative to the 18% grey standard card. The luminance is calculated from the sum of RGB values and corresponds to an intensity of luminosity (i.e. darker plumages have low luminance values and brighter plumages have high luminance values) (Endler, 2012). Topographical body regions known to commonly have spots and streaks (i.e., throat, belly, wing coverts, head and back) had their contrast and pattern measured using two different tools. The contrast was measured using the Adaptive thresholding tool in ImageJ software, which automatically selects and measures light (maculation) and dark (background) area values on the selected regions of interest. The calculated proportion of the maculation and background luminance values represents the contrast measurement, being that low values represent a higher contrast and higher values represents a low contrast. The pattern analysis is based on Fast Fourier bandpass filtering and consists in filtering each image at multiple spatial frequency scales and quantifying the "energy" in each scale, measured as the standard deviation of the filtered pixels values. This form of analysis is also called granularity analysis and is based on the mechanism of neuro-physiological image processing in vertebrates and invertebrates (Godfrey et al., 1987; Stoddard and Stevens, 2010). These analyses were performed using the green channel which is recommended in birds when the images are not converted into the avian visual model (Spottiswoode and Stevens, 2010). The measurements obtained in the pattern analysis are the maximum frequency (the spatial frequency with the highest energy), the maximum energy (the energy at the maximum

frequency) and summed energy (the energy summed across all spatial frequencies).

We examined the distribution of each plumage variable to decide which ones explain better the plumage variation in the group. First, we summarized the body regions in dorsal (mean of crown, nape and back), ventral (mean of throat, breast, belly and flanks) and wing coverts. Then, we calculated the euclidean distance between the selected plumage measurements (i.e. luminance, contrast, maximum energy and summed energy of dorsal, ventral and wing coverts regions) of males and females of each taxon in order to obtain the plumage sexual dimorphism. The RGB measurements were not considered because they had similar values among them in both sexes (Appendix A; Figures S3-S8), suggesting a low color variation across the group and thus not being good indexes of plumage elaboration.

Lastly, we performed the pPCA with the selected plumage measurements in males and females as described previously for the vocal traits. All selected plumage traits were also log-transformed. The plumage male pPC1 and pPC2 accounted for 55% and 15% of the total data distribution, respectively, and had a high lambda value ( $\lambda$ =0.89) (Table 3). In females, plumage pPC1 and pPC2 explained 35% and 33% of the total data distribution. Lambda also had a high value ( $\lambda$ =0.86) (Table 4). Plumage pPC1 and pPC2 scores values for each taxon were used as components of plumage variation in males and females.

**Table 3.** Load values for the first and second pPCA of plumage traits in males. The first and the second pPCA axis ( $\lambda$ =0.89) explain 55% and 15% of the data distribution. Load values greater or equal to 0.50 are bolded.

Plumage character	PC1	PC2
MaxPower dorsal	-0.69	-0.58
SumPower dorsal	-0.68	-0.57
Luminance dorsal	-0.68	-0.52
Contrast dorsal	0.17	0.31
MaxPower ventral	-0.96	0.25
SumPower ventral	-0.96	0.24
Luminance ventral	-0.32	0.32
Contrast ventral	0.39	0.24
MaxPower wing coverts	-0.34	-0.53
SumPower wing coverts	-0.33	-0.51
Luminance wing coverts	-0.59	-0.49
Contrast wing coverts	0.17	0.41

**Table 4.** Load values for the first and second pPCA of plumage traits in females. The first and the second pPCA axis ( $\lambda$ =0.86) explain 35% and 33% of the data distribution. Load values greater or equal to 0.50 are bolded.

Plumage character	PC1	PC2
MaxPower dorsal	-0.01	0.92
SumPower dorsal	-0.06	0.93
Luminance dorsal	0.06	0.90
Contrast dorsal	0.24	-0.34
MaxPower ventral	-0.28	0.16
SumPower ventral	-0.30	0.20
Luminance ventral	-0.18	0.14
Contrast ventral	0.02	0.07
MaxPower wing coverts	-0.91	0.29
SumPower wing coverts	-0.90	0.28
Luminance wing coverts	-0.40	0.60
Contrast wing coverts	0.77	0.51

## Ecological and behavioral data

Habitat, forest strata, and mixed-species flocking behavioral data were taken from the literature (e.g. Munn, 1985; Ridgely and Tudor, 1994; Whitney, 1994; Whitney and Pacheco, 1997; Zimmer and Isler, 2016; See detailed description in Bravo *et al.*, 2014) and from our knowledge of the group. Habitat exposure was classified as exposed and unexposed, according to how birds in different habitats are subject to direct sunlight, precipitation, and wind (e.g., birds in canopy and non-forested environments are more exposed than birds in the forest understory). Forest strata was categorized as understory, midstory and canopy. The classification of mixed-species flocking behavior was divided in three categories: no formation, occasional to common and obligate mixed-species flocking formation following Bravo *et al.* (2014).

### Comparative analyses

We conducted Phylogenetic Generalized Least Squares (PGLS) analysis, which is a phylogenetic comparative method that allows testing the association and interaction among all collected variables simultaneously under different evolutionary models. Therefore, it was possible to test TH and SDH as well as assessing a possible influence of mixed-species flocking behavior on the structural diversity of acoustic and visual signals. PGLS analyses were performed in R (R Core Team, 2018) using the packages Ape (Paradis *et al.*, 2004), Nlme (Pinheiro *et al.*, 2013), and Geiger (Harmon *et al.*, 2008).

We tested the correlation between plumage and song traits under two different evolutionary models: Brownian motion (BM), which represents a stochastic process, without selection; and Ornstein-Uhlenbeck (OU), which represents selection towards an adaptive optimum. The following eight models were tested:

- 1. A base model with no covariates;
- 2. Habitat exposure as a covariate;
- 3. Foraging strata as a covariate;
- 4. Mixed-species flocking behavior as a covariate;
- 5. Habitat exposure + Foraging strata as covariates;
- 6. Habitat exposure + Mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates;
- 7. Foraging strata + Mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates;
- 8. Habitat exposure + Foraging strata + Mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates.

All models were tested under BM and OU adding up to a total of 16 models. First, we tested the correlation between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism under the 16 models. After, we tested the correlation between plumage and song pPCAs scores in males and females. Lastly, due to possible bias involved in the use of pPCA scores (Uyeda *et al.*, 2015) and the difficulty in choosing the best representative plumage and song measurements, we also tested the correlation between the plumage and song traits that had load values of pPC1 and pPC2 axes greater or equal to 0.50 in each sex (Tables 1, 2, 3 and 4). The best-fit models for each pair of plumage and song traits were chosen based on the Akaike information criterion (AIC). The model with the lowest AIC value was considered the best model and any model with the  $\Delta$ AIC less or equal two were considered a competing model. Also, we calculated the Akaike weights to assess their relative likelihood.

#### **Results**

Relationship between sexual dimorphism in plumage and song

We found a positive correlation between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism that was not significant (Table 5 and Figure S9). The best model was with no covariates, while the competing models were with mixed-species flocking behavior, habitat exposure + mixed-species flocking behavior, and habitat exposure, all under BM (Table 5 and Figure S9). According to Akaike weights values, the first two models are more informative to explain the association between sexual dimorphism in plumage and song (Table 5).

Relationship between plumage and song components of variation in males

When testing the relationship between plumage and song components of variation (i.e. plumage and song pPC1 and PC2 scores), we found positive correlations that were significant in two cases: 1. Between plumage pPC1 and song pPC2 and 2. Between plumage pPC1 + pPC2 and song pPC2 (Table 6). The significant correlations were under BM and their best models had habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates in both cases.

Relationship between the selected plumage and song traits in males

Whereas all correlations between plumage and song components of variation were positive, we had both positive and negative correlations when testing the relationship between selected plumage and song traits (i.e. characters that had load values of pPC1 and pPC2 axes greater or equal to 0.50).

We found a significant negative correlation of dorsal luminance versus note types and frequency slope (Figure 1 and Table S2). The best and competing models were under OU in both cases, being the first with foraging strata plus mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates and the other with different combinations of habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior (Figures S10-S11).

Significant positive correlations were found between dorsal luminance and song duration, dorsal maximum energy and song duration, ventral maximum and summed energy versus note rate (Figure 1 and Table S2). While the first two had the best models under BM with habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates, the last two had their best significant models under OU with all ecological and behavioral traits as covariates (Figures S12-S15).

Relationship between plumage and song components of variation in females

In females, we found both positive and negative correlations between plumage and song components of variation. While a significant negative correlation was found between plumage pPC2 and song pPC1, a significant positive correlation was found between plumage pPC1 + pPC2 and song pPC1 (Table 7). These significant correlations were under OU and had their best models associated with habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior.

# Relationship between plumage and song traits in females

We also found both positive and negative correlations when testing the relationship between the selected plumage and song traits. Significant negative correlations were found between dorsal luminance and frequency slope, wing contrast, dorsal maximum and summed energy versus frequency slope and note diversity (Figure 2 and Table S3). The best models were under OU in mostly cases and had at least one of the ecological traits and mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates (Figures S16, S17, S19, S20, S22, S23 and S24).

We found significant positive correlations of dorsal summed energy and wing contrast versus note count (Figure 2 and Table S3). All the best models with significant positive correlations were under OU, being the first associated with habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior and the last with different combinations of all ecological traits and mixed-species flocking behavior (Figures S18 and S21).

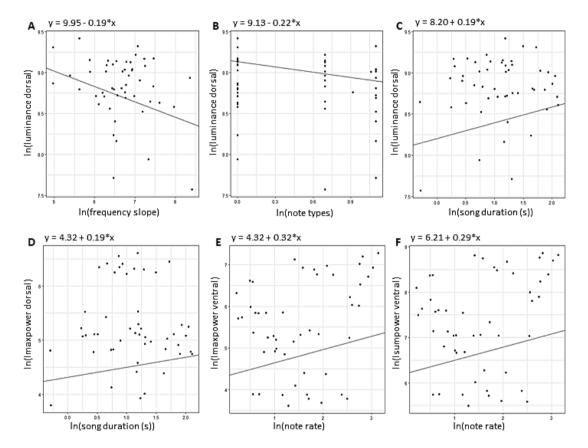
**Table 5.** PGLS results of the relationship between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism. The first row corresponds to the best model and the others correspond to the competing models ( $\Delta AIC \le 2$ ).  $\beta$  is the effect size of each correlation and SE is it standard error. HAB = Habitat exposure, FOR = Foraging strata and MSF = Mixed-species flocking behavior.

Plumage character	Song character	Model	Evolutionary model	ΔΑΙC	ωί	β±SE	Р
SD plumage	SD song	base	ВМ	0	0.30	0.19 ± 0.22	0.38
SD plumage	SD song	MSF	ВМ	0.89	0.19	0.20 ± 0.21	0.36
SD plumage	SD song	HAB + MSF	ВМ	1.81	0.12	0.24 ± 0.22	0.28
SD plumage	SD song	HAB	BM	1.99	0.11	0.20 ± 0.22	0.39

**Table 6.** PGLS results of the relationship between male plumage and song PC1 and PC2. The first row of each relationship corresponds to the best model and the others correspond to the competing models ( $\Delta AIC \le 2$ ).  $\beta$  is the effect size of each correlation and SE is it standard error. An asterisk indicates when the relationship is significant (P value  $\le 0.05$ ). HAB = Habitat exposure, FOR = Foraging strata and MSF = Mixed-species flocking behavior.

Plumage character	Song character	Model	Evolutionary model	ΔΑΙС	ωί	β±SE	P
plumage							
PC1	song PC1	MSF	BM	0	0.24	$0.09 \pm 0.18$	0.62
plumage							
PC1	song PC1	HAB + MSF	BM	0.58	0.18	$0.06 \pm 0.18$	0.76
plumage	204	HAB + FOR	514	0.00	0.46	0.00 . 0.10	0.67
PC1	song PC1	+ MSF	BM	0.90	0.16	$0.08 \pm 0.18$	0.67
plumage PC1	song PC1	FOR + MSF	BM	0.99	0.15	0.09 ± 0.18	0.62
plumage	SUIIG FCI	FOR + IVISE	DIVI	0.55	0.13	0.09 ± 0.16	0.02
PC2	song PC2	MSF	вм	0	0.31	0.07 ± 0.08	0.44
plumage	556.				0.01	0.07 = 0.00	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
PC2	song PC2	HAB + MSF	BM	1.33	0.16	0.07 ± 0.08	0.42
plumage	_						
PC2	song PC2	base	BM	1.41	0.15	0.07 ± 0.09	0.40
plumage							
PC2	song PC2	FOR	BM	1.50	0.14	$0.08 \pm 0.09$	0.34
plumage	200	HAB + FOR	514	•	0.07	0.07 . 0.47	0.00*
PC1	song PC2	+ MSF	BM	0	0.27	$0.37 \pm 0.17$	0.03*
plumage PC1	song PC2	FOR + MSF	BM	0.77	0.19	0.36 ± 0.17	0.04*
plumage	SUIIG FCZ	FOR + IVISE	DIVI	0.77	0.19	0.30 ± 0.17	0.04
PC1	song PC2	MSF	BM	0.86	0.18	0.33 ± 0.17	0.06
plumage	006.		2	0.00	0.20	0.00 = 0.=.	0.00
PC1	song PC2	HAB + MSF	BM	0.87	0.18	0.34 ± 0.17	0.05*
plumage							
PC2	song PC1	MSF	BM	0	0.28	$0.12 \pm 0.09$	0.17
plumage							
PC2	song PC1	base	BM	0.63	0.21	$0.14 \pm 0.08$	0.10
plumage	DC4	500	514	4 55	0.42	0.42 + 0.00	0.45
PC2	song PC1	FOR	BM	1.55	0.13	$0.13 \pm 0.08$	0.15
plumage PC2	song PC1	HAB + MSF	BM	1.68	0.12	0.11 ± 0.09	0.21
plumage	JUNE FCI	IIAD FIVISF	DIVI	1.00	0.12	0.11 ± 0.09	0.21
PC2	song PC1	НАВ	BM	1.84	0.11	0.15 ± 0.08	0.09
plumage	0	HAB + FOR					
PC1 + PC2	song PC1	+ MSF	BM	0	0.51	$0.12 \pm 0.18$	0.49

plumage		HAB + FOR					
PC1 + PC2	song PC2	+ MSF	BM	0	0.51	$0.43 \pm 0.17$	0.02*
plumage							
PC1 + PC2	song PC1	FOR + MSF	BM	1.99	0.19	$0.15 \pm 0.18$	0.43
plumage							
PC1 + PC2	song PC2	FOR + MSF	BM	1.99	0.19	$0.41 \pm 0.18$	0.03*



**Figure 1.** Scatterplots illustrating the obtained significant correlations between plumage and song traits in males antwrens. **A**, **B** and **C** is representing the relationship between dorsal luminance versus frequency slope, note types and song duration, respectively. **D** is representing a positive correlation between dorsal maximum energy and song duration. **E** and **F** are representing positive correlations of ventral maximum energy and ventral summed energy versus note rate, respectively. All variables had a log transformation (ln).

**Table 7.** PGLS results of the relationship between female plumage and song PC1 and PC2. The first row of each relationship corresponds to the best model and the others correspond to the competing models ( $\Delta AIC \le 2$ ).  $\beta$  is the effect size of each correlation and SE is it standard error. An asterisk indicates when the relationship is significant (P value  $\le 0.05$ ). HAB = Habitat exposure, FOR = Foraging strata and MSF = Mixed-species flocking behavior.

Plumage	Song		Evolutionary				
character	character	Model	model	ΔΑΙC	ωί	β ± SE	Р
plumage PC1 plumage	song PC1	base	ВМ	0	0.51	0.19 ± 0.12	0.13
PC1	song PC1	НАВ	BM	1.86	0.20	0.20 ± 0.13	0.13
plumage PC2 plumage	song PC2	MSF	OU	0.00	0.42	0.14 ± 0.14	0.31
PC2 plumage	song PC2	HAB + MSF HAB + FOR +	OU	1.11	0.24	0.17 ± 0.14	0.22
PC2	song PC2	MSF	OU	1.94	0.16	0.14 ± 0.14	0.32
plumage PC1 plumage	song PC2	base	BM	0	0.52	-0.03 ± 0.14	0.83
PC1	song PC2	HAB	ВМ	1.99	0.19	-0.03 ± 0.15	0.84
plumage PC2 plumage	song PC1	FOR + MSF	OU	0.00	0.41	-0.15 ± 0.08	0.07
PC2 plumage	song PC1	HAB + MSF HAB + FOR +	OU	0.39	0.34	-0.18 ± 0.08	0.04*
PC2	song PC1	MSF	OU	1.84	0.16	-0.16 ± 0.08	0.08
plumage PC1 +							
PC2 plumage PC1 +	song PC1	MSF	OU	0	0.38	$0.33 \pm 0.14$	0.02*
PC2 plumage	song PC2	MSF	OU	0	0.38	0.23 ± 0.21	0.28
PC1 + PC2 plumage PC1 +	song PC1	HAB + MSF	OU	1.66	0.16	0.32 ± 0.14	0.03*
PC1 + PC2	song PC2	HAB + MSF	OU	1.66	0.16	0.27 ± 0.22	0.24

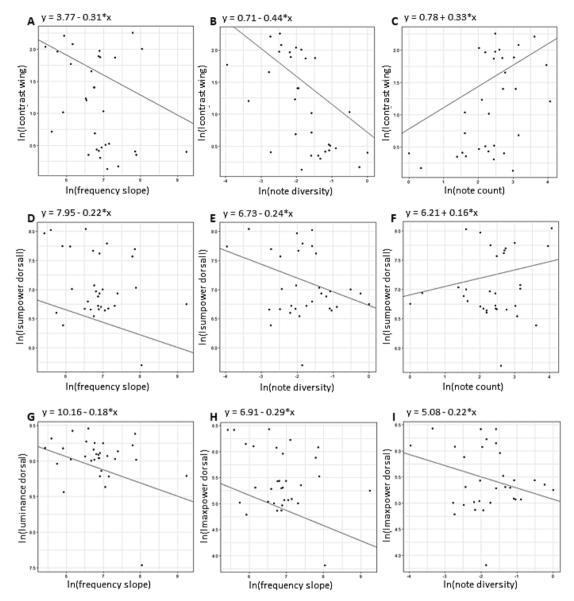


Figure 2. Scatterplots illustrating the obtained significant correlations between plumage and song traits in females antwrens. A, B and C is representing the relationship between wing contrast versus frequency slope, note diversity and note count, respectively. D, E and F is representing the relationship between dorsal summed energy versus frequency slope, note diversity and note count, respectively. G is representing a negative correlation between dorsal luminance and frequency slope. H and I are representing negative correlations between dorsal maximum energy versus frequency slope and note diversity, respectively. All variables had a log transformation (ln).

#### **Discussion**

The Transfer Hypothesis is not supported for sexual dimorphism in plumage and vocal traits

We found a positive correlation between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism, thus contradicting the TH. Also, this relationship was under an absence of selection pressures (i.e. BM model). Although this correlation was not significant, the observed pattern evidences a trend that the greater the plumage dimorphism, the greater the vocal dimorphism. This trend can suggest a redundancy on the sensory signals communication system (redundant signal hypothesis; Moller and Pomiankowski, 1993) or a multimodal communication system in which each sensory signal (i.e. vocal and visual) communicate different information in the taxa with high dimorphism (multiple message hypothesis; Moller sexual Pomiankowski, 1993). Antwrens with low levels of sexual dimorphism may have evolved other communication traits that were not addressed in this study, but can still be part of the acoustic and visual signals spectra, such as the different types of calls, the duet formation between males and females and the many types of stereotyped body motion displayed (e.g. Whitney, 1994; Whitney and Pacheco, 1997; Zimmer and Isler, 2016).

Whereas only four studies testing the TH took plumage sexual dimorphism in account (Shutler and Weatherhead, 1990; Repentigny *et al.*, 2000; Ornelas *et al.*, 2009, Webb *et al.*, 2018), none used vocal sexual dimorphism or tested the correlation between them. This can be partially explained by the lack of available female recordings in audio collections, an underrepresentation that have been alerted by Odom and Benedict (2018). Whereas we obtained plumage data for almost all antwrens taxa (73 for males and 70 for females), the obtained vocal data was lower for males and almost the half for females (64 male and 38 female taxa). Thus, despite the difficulties in obtaining female vocal data, we were able to test

the relationship between sexual dimorphism in plumage and song traits. The obtained positive correlation pattern evidence that the TH may be not held in all groups and that it corroboration depends on which traits are being assessed (as shown in the following discussion sections).

Mixed evidence for TH between plumage and vocal components of variation

When testing the relationship between plumage and song components of variation, we found positive correlations in males and both positive and negative correlations in females, being significant only in some cases. We tested the correlations between plumage and song pPC1 and pPC2 scores values as a form of summarizing these traits, while correcting for phylogenetic non-independence. However, according to Uyeda *et al.* (2015), we need to take caution with the use of pPCA scores in comparative studies, because they can bias inferences to particular evolutionary patterns. Also, their simulations and empirical analyses suggested that pPCA scores can be more distorted when correlation among traits are not so strong (e.g. first PC explaining less than 75% of the total data variation). In our data, plumage and song pPC1 do not explain more than 35% and 45% in females, and 55% and 43% in males data distribution, indicating a weak correlation in our vocal and visual traits.

Thus, the significant correlations obtained between plumage and song components of variation should be interpreted with caution due to the possible biases involved and should also be compared with the obtained correlations between the selected plumage and vocal traits.

Transfer hypothesis seems to be corroborated between some selected plumage and vocal traits

We found both positive and negative correlations between all selected plumage and song traits in males and females, being significant only in some cases. The existence of both positive and negative relationships might obscure our interpretation of the support for the TH in the Formicivorini. However, these significant correlations occur only with certain song traits. Whereas the relationships between all selected plumage traits and note types, note diversity, and frequency slope were mostly negative, the relationships between plumage and note count, note rate and song duration in both sexes were mostly positive (Appendix B; Tables S2 and S3). Although song duration has been considered a proxy for song complexity in birds (e.g. Badyaev and Weckworth, 2002; Gonzalez-Voyer et al., 2013; Mason et al., 2014), it does not seem to describe accurately song complexity in Formicivorini. Antwrens have a considerable diversity in song duration, note count and note rate, but these measurements alone do not depict song complexity in the group. For instance, taxa that have longer songs tend emit just one note type several times, whereas taxa with shorter songs tend to produce less notes but of different types. Therefore, the measurements that better explain song complexity are note type and note diversity, song traits that are significantly negatively correlated with dorsal luminance in males and with wing contrast, dorsal maximum and summed energy in females, respectively. Frequency slope, the only frequency-based trait that was selected to test PGLS analyses, showed significant negative correlations with dorsal luminance in both sexes and with wing contrast, dorsal maximum and summed energy in females, thus also corroborating the TH. Therefore, we conclude that the TH seems to be corroborated in both sexes under a context of importance of the antwrens

song complexity, having a force of selection toward adaptive peaks (i.e. OU model) in males and in almost all correlations in females.

Ecological and behavioral traits are associated with plumage and vocal structure

Habitat (i.e., SDH) and mixed-species flocking behavior influence the structural variation in visual and acoustic signals. At least one of the ecological traits (i.e. habitat exposure or foraging strata) and mixed-species flocking behavior was a covariate in the best and competing models, but they usually did not alter much the effect size of plumage and song traits relationship when compared with the base model. It is difficult to determine which ecological trait combined or not combined with mixed-species flocking behavior were the best model in each significant relationship because we had a lot of competing models in mostly cases ( $\triangle$ AIC  $\leq$  2) with Akaike weights very similar, indicating that these models were equally informative. Furthermore, we were not able to determine more precisely how these covariates limits the plumage and song traits. However, the ecological traits associations found when testing the TH also appeared in three other studies that considered habitat conditions as covariates (Gonzalez-Voyer et al., 2013; Laverde-R., 2017; Gomes et al., 2017), while only one study did not find significant interactions with habitat type (Mason et al., 2014); thus, supporting the SDH. Also, the mixed-species flocking behavior association obtained in the present study support it influence on visual and acoustic signals structure.

#### Conclusion

Despite mixed evidences for some plumage and song traits relationships, the TH is corroborated in both sexes when we consider the variation of antwrens song complexity. Male antwrens with brighter dorsal regions tend to have a lower number of note types per song and a lower frequency range per song duration (i.e. frequency slope). Females with a brighter dorsal region also tend to have a lower frequency range per song duration. Furthermore, dorsal regions with a more complex pattern and more contrasted wing coverts are associated with a lower frequency range per song duration and a lower note diversity in females.

The TH was not supported only between plumage and song sexual dimorphism, in which a non-significant positive was found. The observed pattern suggests a redundancy or multimodal communication in antwrens with high sexual dimorphism and suggests the existence of other forms of communication in low sexually dimorphic antwrens that were not assessed in this study.

Whereas the observed significant trade-offs between some plumage and song traits have a force of selection toward adaptive peaks in males and in almost all cases in females, the positive correlation between plumage and song sexual dimorphism was under an absence of selection pressures. However, regardless of the best fitted evolutionary models, all these relationships are influenced by at least one ecological trait (i.e. habitat exposure or foraging strata) or with mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates, corroborating the SDH and the mixed-species flocking behavior influence on visual and acoustic signals structure.

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# General discussion and Conclusions

In the present study, we integrated a genome-scale phylogeny of the tribe Formicivorini with vocal, plumage, ecological, and behavioral data following a phylogenetic comparative framework in order to comprehend the evolution of acoustic and visual signals in the diverse Formicivorini clade.

We found significant trade-offs between some acoustic and visual signals (TH) in both sexes. In males, antwrens with a brighter dorsal region have a lower number of note types in a song and a lower frequency range per song duration. While in females, antwrens with a brighter dorsal region have a lower frequency range per song duration and those with a more complex patterned dorsal region and wing coverts more contrasted have a lower frequency range per song duration and a lower note diversity. These significant trade-offs are under a force of selection towards an adaptive optimum in males and in almost all cases in females.

When we tested the relationship between sexual dimorphism in plumage and song traits, we found an opposite trend. A non-significant positive correlation was found, thus refuting the TH and evidencing a trend that the greater the plumage dimorphism, the greater the vocal dimorphism. The observed pattern was under an absence of selection forces and suggests a redundancy on the sensory signals system communication or a multimodal communication system in which each sensory signal communicate different information in the antwrens taxa with high sexual dimorphism, while the antwrens with low sexual dimorphism may have evolved other ways to recognize each other that were not assessed in this study (e.g. calls, duets, stereotyped body motion displays).

All these described relationships (either the trade-offs between some plumage and vocal traits or the positive correlation between sexual dimorphism in plumage and song traits) are influenced by at least one ecological trait (i.e. habitat exposure or foraging strata) or with mixed-species flocking behavior as covariates, corroborating the SDH and mixed-species flocking behavior influence on visual and acoustic signals structure. Although we have not been able to determine more precisely how these covariates limits these plumage and song traits, they seem to have an important role in shaping the acoustic and visual signals structure evolution.

The present study had an important role in comprehending how the plumage and song evolved in the tribe Formicivorini and which traits are influencing the observed pattern. Also, it shed light on the poorly studied TH that have mixed evidences in the literature, it accounted for the habitat effects on both acoustic and visual signals and a possible influence of foraging behavior. We suggest that further studies investigating the TH should consider habitats effects and other possible important behavioral traits as covariates in their study models. Also, a family level study with all antbirds incorporating other possible important habitat and behavior traits is recommended to access if the observed patterns are maintained in a larger scale.

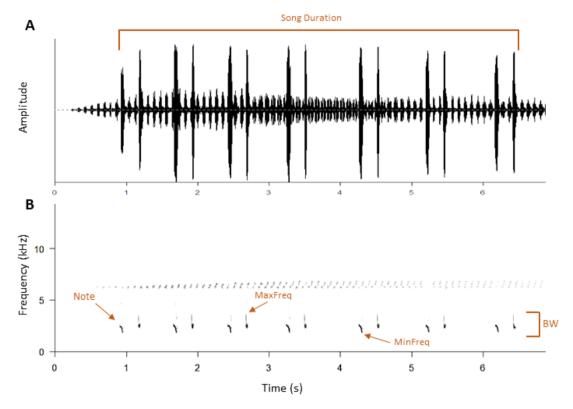
#### Resumo

A comunicação animal transmite informações usando diferentes tipos de sinais sensoriais que possuem propósitos específicos (e.g. cortejo, defesa territorial, manutenção de grupos unidos e minimização da predação) e estão suscetíveis a pressões do habitat (Hipótese de Condução Sensorial - HCS). Em aves, alguns estudos de sinais acústicos e visuais demonstraram que a estrutura do canto está associada com a capacidade de transmissão do som em diferentes habitats e alguns aspectos de plumagem (e.g. coloração, brilho e padrão) parecem variar de acordo com as condições de iluminação do ambiente. Além dos efeitos de habitat, outros fatores como limitação energética, risco de predação e de parasitismo podem limitar o investimento em mais de um tipo de sinal sensorial. Devido a esse alto custo, foi proposta a existência de uma demanda conflitante (trade-off) evolutiva entre os diferentes tipos de sinais sensoriais denominada Hipótese de Transferência (HT) ou de "Trade-off". Os poucos estudos que testaram a HT em aves apresentaram resultados contrastantes, sendo corroborada apenas em dois trabalhos. Além disso, há uma baixa quantidade de trabalhos que consideraram as condições de habitat como covariáveis. Assim, nós avaliamos a HT entre os sinais acústicos e visuais, considerando simultaneamente os efeitos potenciais das condições de habitat (HCS) em um diverso grupo de aves subóscines neotropicais, comumente conhecidas como papa-formigas (Thamnophilidae). Especificamente, nós integramos a filogenia em escala genômica da tribo Formicivorini (36 espécies) com dados vocais, de plumagem, ecológicos e comportamentais utilizando uma abordagem comparativa filogenética para testar simultaneamente a HT, a HCS e também considerando a influência do comportamento de formação de bandos mistos na diversidade da estrutura dos sinais acústicos e visuais. Enquanto que demandas conflitantes significativas entre algumas medidas de plumagem e de canto foram encontradas em ambos os sexos (e.g. luminância dorsal contra declive de frequência) corroborando a HT, uma tendência oposta não significativa foi encontrada entre o dimorfismo sexual de plumagem e canto. Todas essas relações são influenciadas por condições de habitat e comportamento como covariáveis, corroborando a HCS e a influência do comportamento de bandos mistos na evolução da estrutura dos sinais acústicos e visuais.

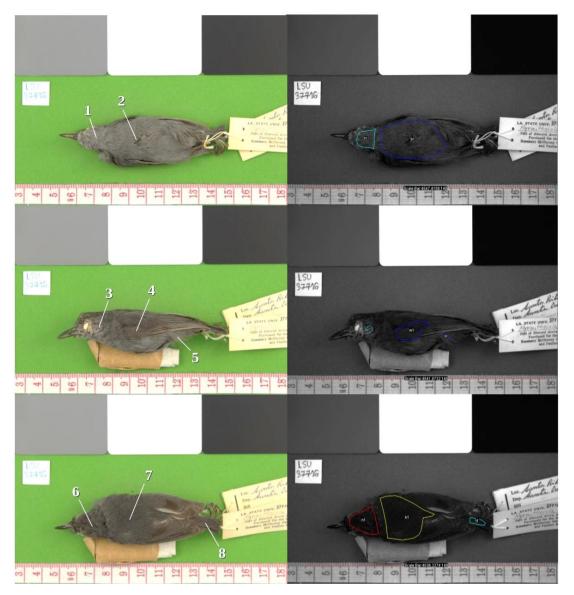
#### **Abstract**

Animal communication transmits information using different sensory signals that have particular purposes (e.g. courtship, territorial defense, maintaining groups together and minimizing predation) and are susceptible to habitat pressures (Sensory Drive Hypothesis - SDH). In birds, some studies on acoustic and visual signals showed that song structure is associated with sound transmission capacity in different habitats and some plumage features (e.g. color, brightness and pattern) seem to vary according to light conditions of the environment. In addition to habitat effects, other factors such as energetic limits, predation, and parasitism risk can limit the investment in more than one type of sensory signal. Due to this high cost, it was proposed the existence of an evolutionary trade-off between the different types of sensory signals termed Transfer (TH) or Trade-off hypothesis. Few studies that have tested the TH in birds showed contrasting results, being corroborated only in two studies. Also, there is a low in the number of studies that have considered habitat conditions as covariates (SDH). Here, we assess the TH between acoustic and visual signals, while simultaneously considering potential effects of habitat conditions (SDH) in a diverse group of Neotropical suboscine birds, commonly known as antbirds (Thamnophilidae). Specifically, we integrated a genome-scale phylogeny of the tribe Formicivorini (36 species) with vocal, plumage, ecological, and behavioral data within a phylogenetic comparative framework to simultaneously test the TH and SDH while assessing the influence of mixed-species flocking foraging behavior on the structural diversity of acoustic and visual signals. Whereas in both sexes we found significant trade-offs between some plumage and vocal traits (e.g. dorsal luminance versus frequency slope), providing support for the TH, we found a non-significant opposite trend between plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism. All these relationships are influenced by habitat conditions and behavioral traits as covariates, corroborating the SDH and mixed-species flocking behavior influence in the evolution of visual and acoustic signals.

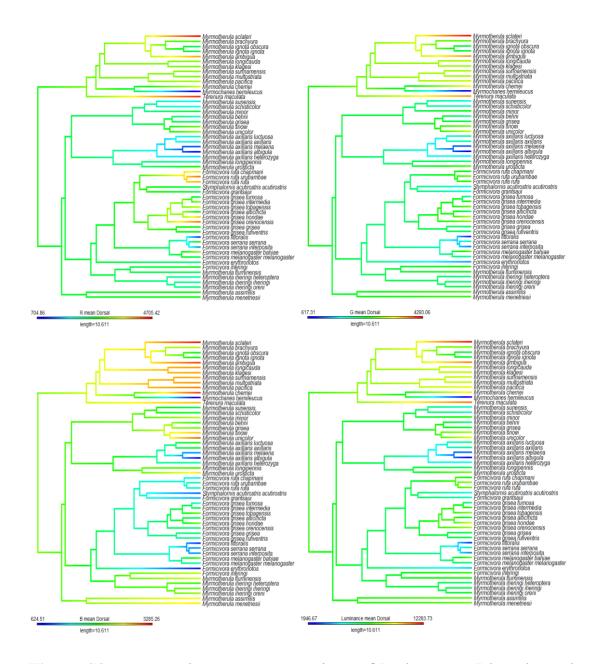
# Appendix A. Supplementary Figures



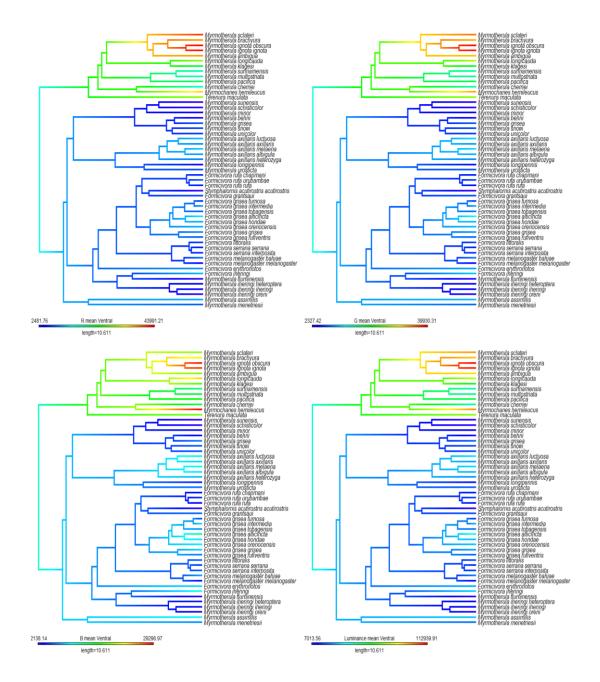
**Figure S1.** An example of an oscillogram (A) and a spectrogram (B) of a *Stymphalornis acutirostris* male individual. The x axis is representing time (s) in both plots, whereas the y axis is representing amplitude in the oscillogram and frequency in the spectrogram. The former was used only to determine the song duration. The spectrogram was used to determine the number of notes and note types. Here, we also indicated some of the frequency-based measurements used: MaxFreq is high frequency, MinFreq is low frequency, and BW is song bandwidth.



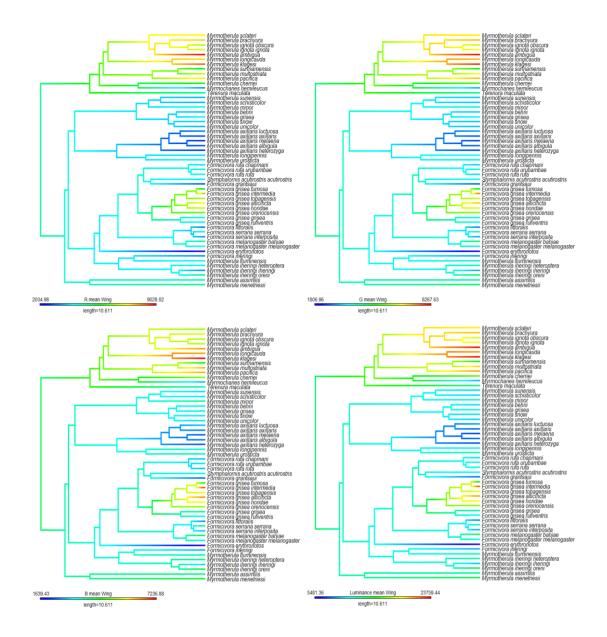
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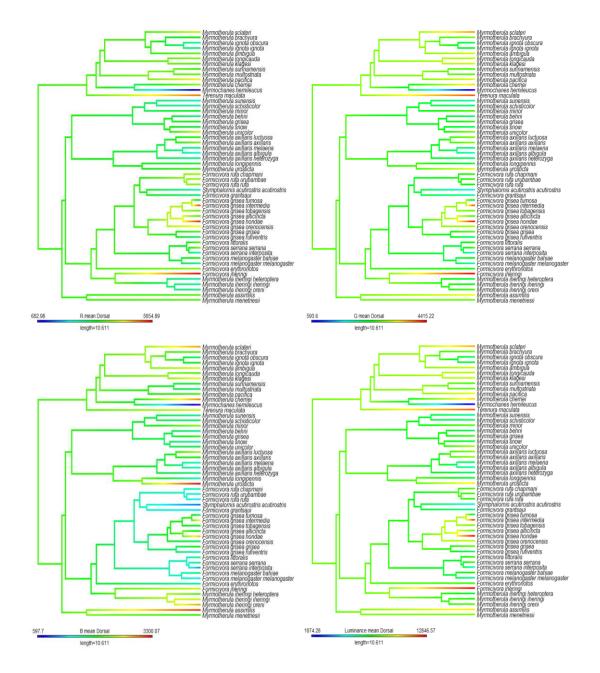
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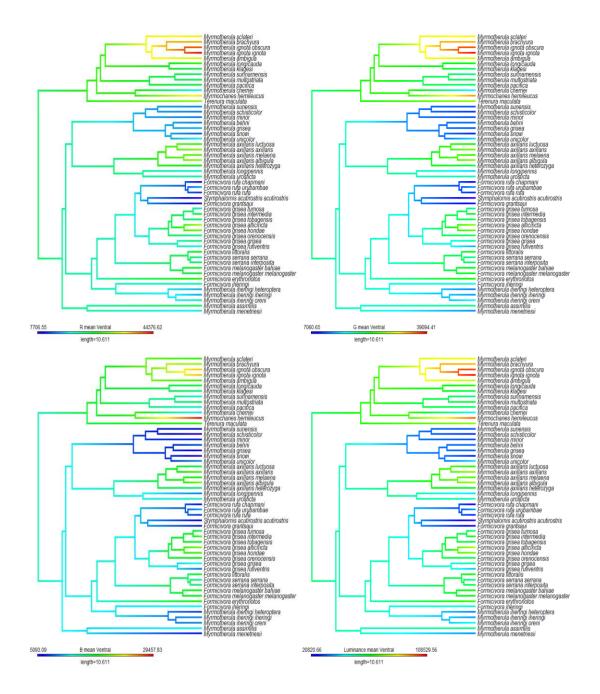
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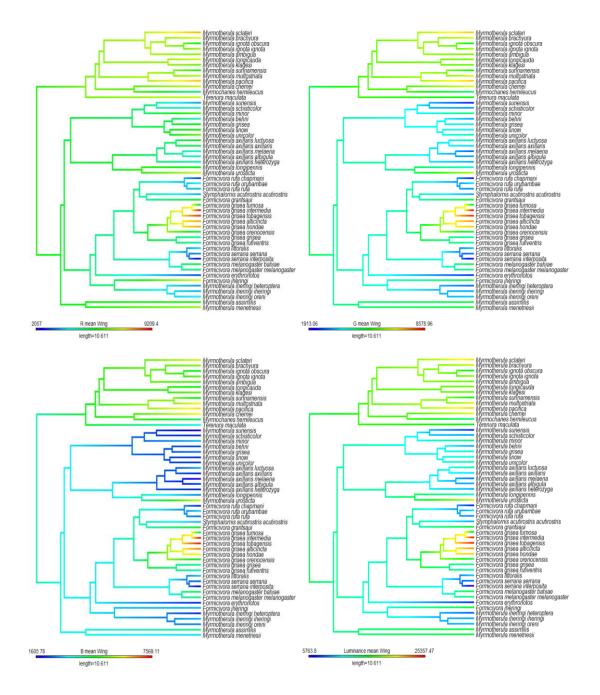
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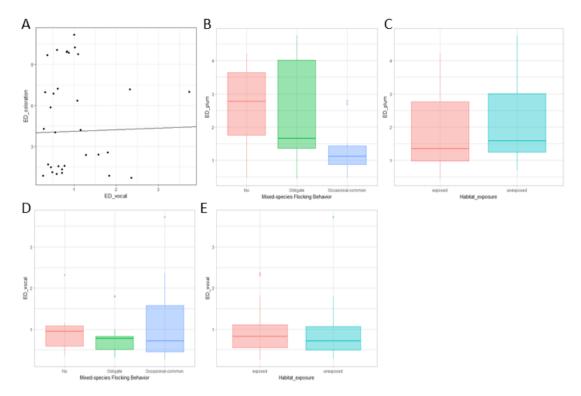
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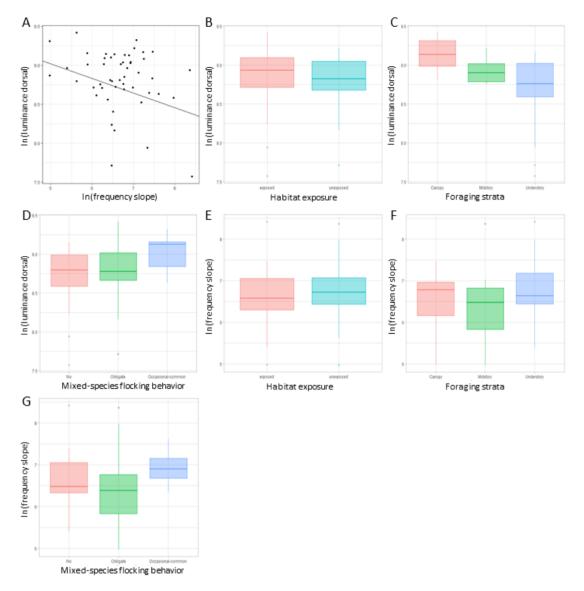
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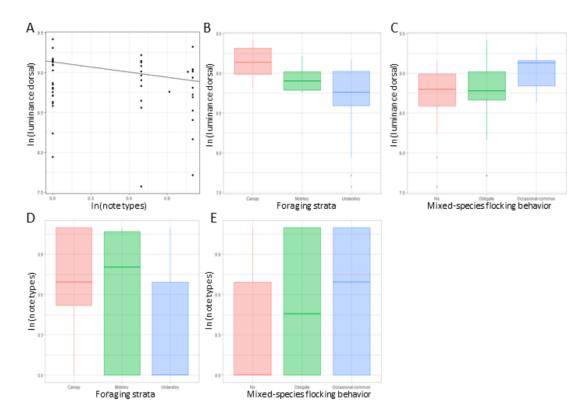
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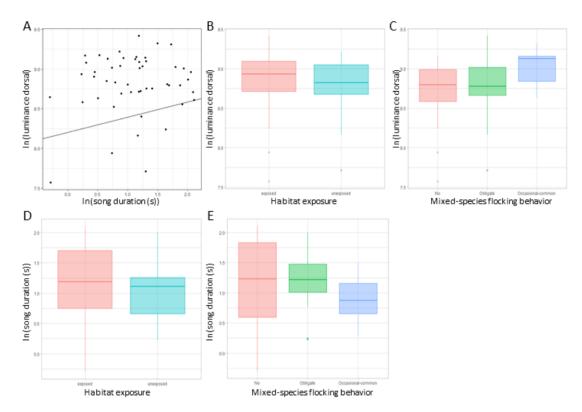
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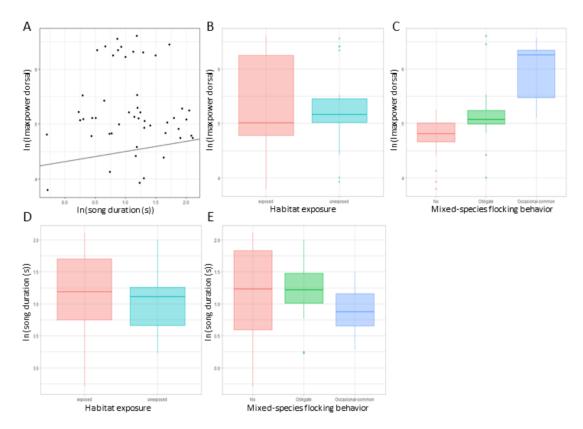
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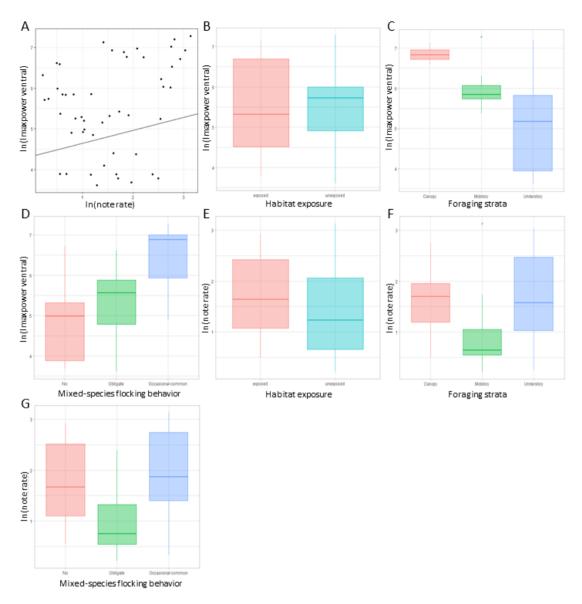
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**Figure S12.** A. Scatterplot illustrating the significant correlation between dorsal luminance versus song duration in males. B and C have boxplots representing the relationship between dorsal luminance versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively. D and E have boxplots representing the relationship between song duration versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively.



**Figure S13.** A. Scatterplot illustrating the significant correlation between dorsal maximum energy versus song duration in males. B and C have boxplots representing the relationship between dorsal maximum energy versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively. D and E have boxplots representing the relationship between song duration versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively.



**Figure S14.** A. Scatterplot illustrating the significant correlation between ventral maximum energy versus note rate in males. B, C and D have boxplots representing the relationship between ventral maximum energy versus habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively. E, F and G have boxplots representing the relationship between note rate versus habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively.

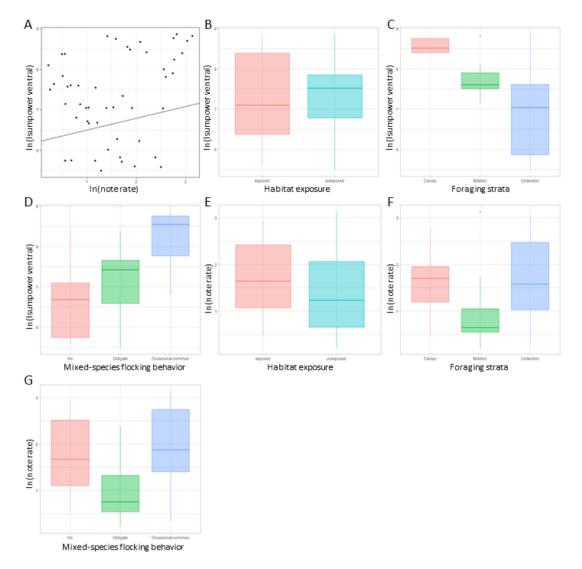
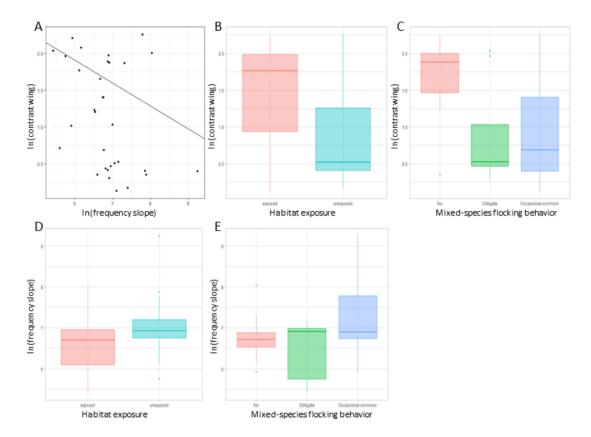
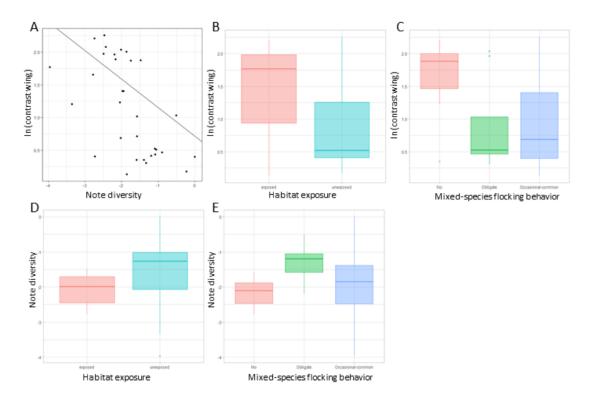


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**Figure S16.** A. Scatterplot illustrating the significant correlation between wing contrast versus frequency slope in females. B and C have boxplots representing the relationship between wing contrast versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively. D and E have boxplots representing the relationship between frequency slope versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively.



**Figure S17.** A. Scatterplot illustrating the significant correlation between wing contrast versus note diversity in females. B and C have boxplots representing the relationship between wing contrast versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively. D and E have boxplots representing the relationship between note diversity versus habitat exposure and mixed-species flocking behavior, respectively.

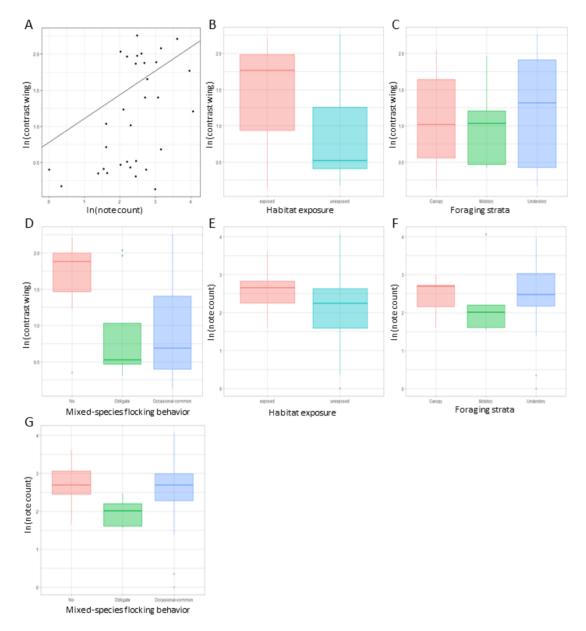
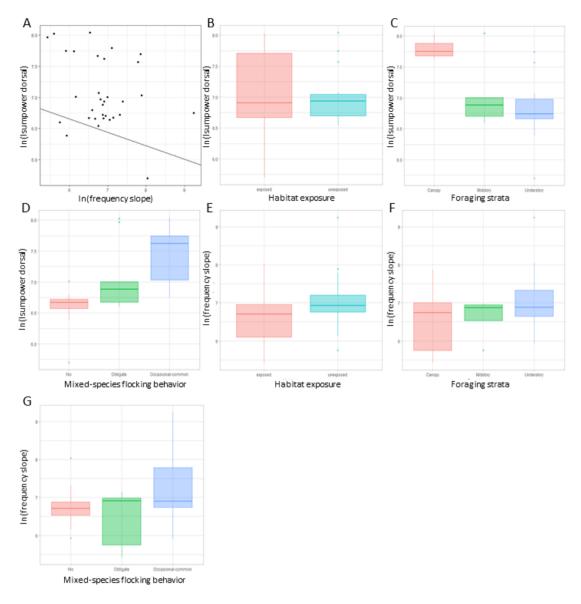
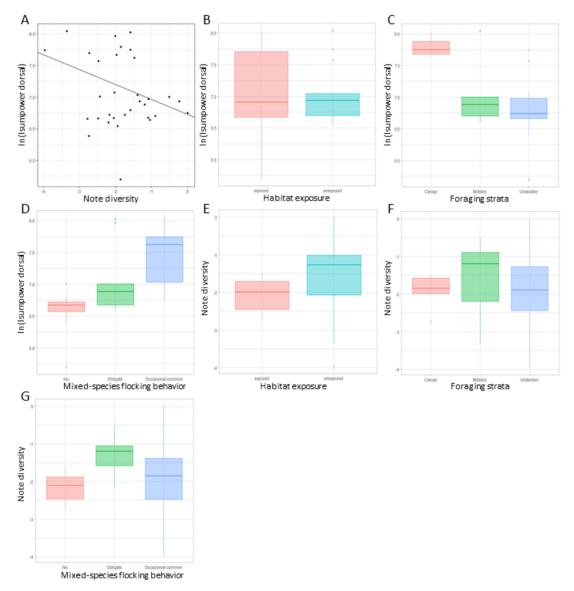


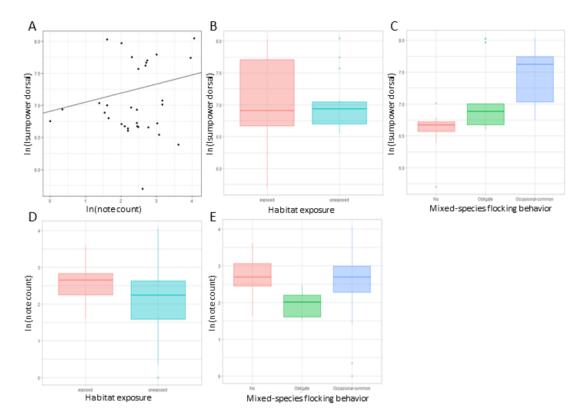
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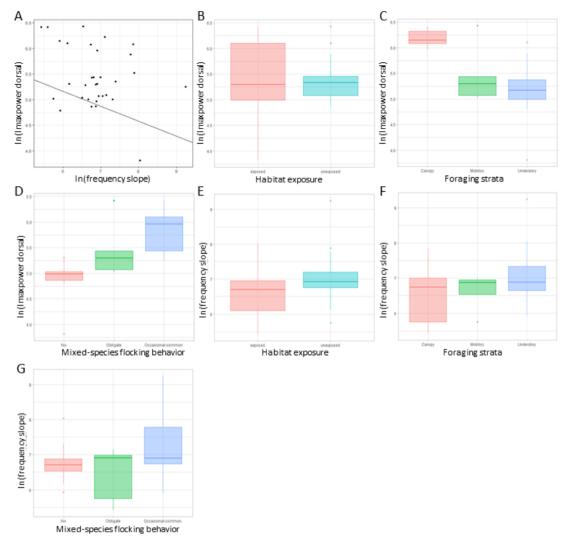
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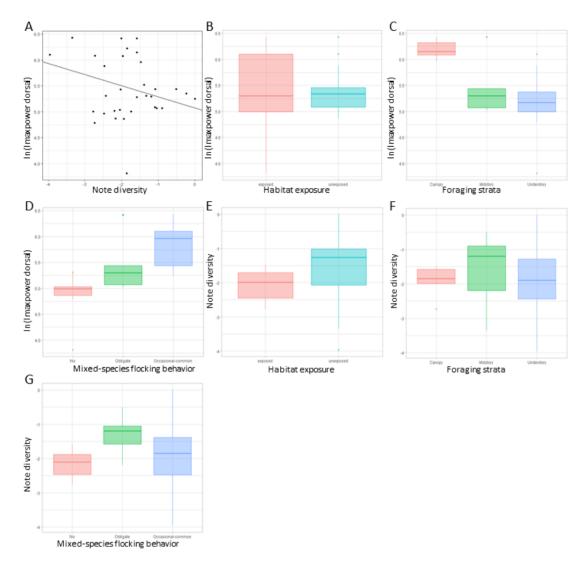
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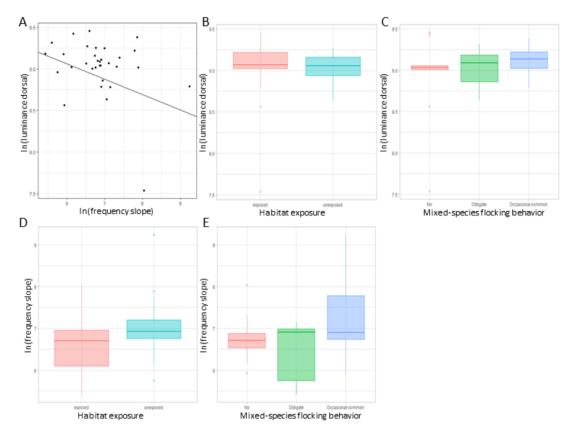
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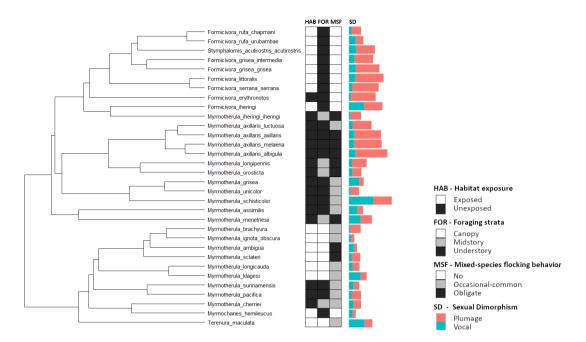
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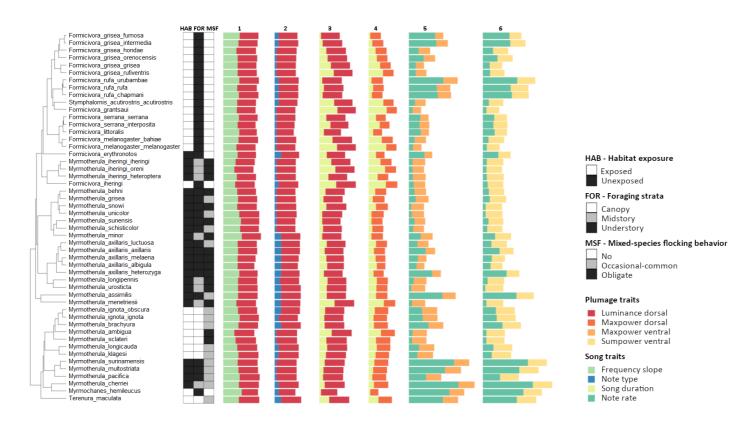
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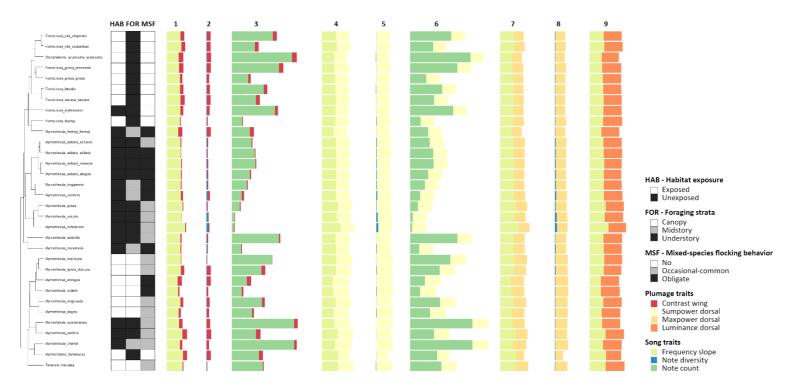
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**Figure S25.** Formicivorini phylogeny with the mapping of ecological, behavioral, plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism traits of each taxa. Habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior are represented in a heatmap. Plumage and vocal sexual dimorphism are represented in a barplot.



**Figure S26.** Formicivorini phylogeny with the mapping of ecological, behavioral, plumage and vocal traits of each taxa in males. Habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior are represented in a heatmap. Plumage and vocal traits that had significant relationships are represented in different barplots: 1. Dorsal luminance versus frequency slope, 2. Dorsal luminance versus note type, 3. Dorsal luminance versus song duration, 4. Dorsal maximum energy versus song duration, 5. Ventral maximum energy versus note rate, and 6. Ventral summed energy versus note rate.



**Figure S27.** Formicivorini phylogeny with the mapping of ecological, behavioral, plumage and vocal traits of each taxa in females. Habitat exposure, foraging strata and mixed-species flocking behavior are represented in a heatmap. Plumage and vocal traits that had significant relationships are represented in different barplots: 1. Wing contrast versus frequency slope, 2. Wing contrast versus note diversity, 3. Wing contrast versus note count, 4. Dorsal summed energy versus frequency slope, 5. Dorsal summed energy versus note diversity, 6. Dorsal summed energy versus note count, 7. Dorsal maximum energy versus frequency slope, 8. Dorsal maximum energy versus note diversity, and 9. Dorsal luminance versus frequency slope.

## Appendix B. Supplementary Tables

Table S1. Description of each vocal character used in this study.

Vocal trait	Description
Song duration	Duration of the song
Note count	Number of notes in a song
Note types	Number of different note types in a song
Note rate	Number of notes in a song divided by the song duration
	Number of different note types divided by the total number of notes
Note diversity	in a song
Low frequency	Upper frequency bound of a song
High frequency	Lower frequency bound of a song
Peak frequency	Frequency at which peak energy (maximum power) occurs in a song
Song bandwidth	Difference between the highest and lowest frequency in a song
Frequency slope	Song bandwidth divided by the song duration

**Table S2.** PGLS results of the relationship between selected male plumage and song traits. The first row of each relationship corresponds to the best model and the others correspond to the competing models ( $\Delta AIC \le 2$ ).  $\beta$  is the effect size of each correlation and SE is it standard error. An asterisk indicates when the relationship is significant (P value  $\le 0.05$ ). HAB = Habitat exposure, FOR = Foraging strata and MSF = Mixed-species flocking behavior.

Plumage	Song		Evolutionary				
character	character	Model	model	ΔΑΙC	ωί	β ± SE	Р
Luminance							
dorsal	Duration	MSF	BM	0.00	0.27	0.19 ± 0.09	0.04*
Luminance		HAB +					
dorsal	Duration	MSF	BM	1.66	0.12	$0.19 \pm 0.09$	0.05*
Luminance	Frequency	HAB +	011	0.00	0.24	0.40 + 0.07	0.04*
dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	0.00	0.24	-0.19 ± 0.07	0.01*
Luminance dorsal	Frequency	NACE	OU	0.06	0.24	-0.21 ± 0.07	0.005*
	slope Frequency	MSF FOR +	00	0.06	0.24	-0.21 ± 0.07	0.005*
Luminance dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	0.15	0.23	-0.18 ± 0.07	0.02*
uuisai	siope	HAB +	00	0.13	0.23	-0.16 ± 0.07	0.02
Luminance	Frequency	FOR +					
dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	1.03	0.14	-0.18 ± 0.07	0.02*
Luminance	Note			2.00	0.1.	0.10 _ 0.07	0.02
dorsal	count	MSF	BM	0.00	0.15	0.10 ± 0.09	0.27
Luminance	Note						
dorsal	count	FOR	OU	0.21	0.13	0.03 ± 0.07	0.63
Luminance	Note	FOR +					
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	0.49	0.12	$0.00 \pm 0.08$	0.98
Luminance	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	0.73	0.10	$0.02 \pm 0.08$	0.80
Luminance	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	count	MSF	BM	1.15	0.08	0.11 ± 0.09	0.24
Luminance	Note						
dorsal	count	FOR	BM	1.66	0.06	0.11 ± 0.09	0.25
		HAB +					
Luminance	Note	FOR +	011	4.60	0.06	0.04 + 0.00	0.00
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	1.68	0.06	$0.01 \pm 0.08$	0.93
Luminance dorsal	Note	FOR	OU	0.00	0.21	0.11 ± 0.07	0.10
Luminance	diversity Note	FOR +	00	0.00	0.21	-0.11 ± 0.07	0.10
dorsal	diversity	MSF	OU	0.87	0.14	-0.10 ± 0.07	0.18
Luminance	Note	HAB +	00	0.07	0.14	-0.10 ± 0.07	0.10
dorsal	diversity	MSF	OU	1.22	0.12	-0.10 ± 0.08	0.18
Luminance	Note	HAB +		1.22	0.12	0.10 ± 0.00	0.10
dorsal	diversity	FOR	OU	1.43	0.11	-0.13 ± 0.07	0.08
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Luminance dorsal	Note rate	FOR + MSF	OU	0.00	0.16	-0.05 ± 0.07	0.51
Luminance	Note rate	HAB +	00	0.00	0.10	-0.03 ± 0.07	0.31
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	MSF	OU	0.21	0.15	-0.05 ± 0.07	0.47
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	FOR	OU	0.46	0.13	0.01 ± 0.06	0.89
dorsal	Note rate	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.76	0.11	-0.07 ± 0.09	0.46
Luminance	Note rate	FOR + MSF	OU	1.25	0.09	-0.04 ± 0.07	0.53
Luminance dorsal	Note rate	MSF	OU	1.42	0.08	-0.06 ± 0.07	0.39
Luminance dorsal	Note type	FOR + MSF	OU	0.00	0.30	-0.22 ± 0.11	0.05*
Luminance dorsal	Note type	FOR HAB +	OU	0.64	0.22	-0.21 ± 0.11	0.06
Luminance dorsal	Note type	FOR + MSF	OU	1.82	0.12	-0.20 ± 0.11	0.07
Luminance		HAB +			J	0.120 2 0.122	0.07
wing Luminance	Duration	MSF	вм	0.00	0.26	0.07 ± 0.06	0.25
wing Luminance	Duration	MSF	вм	0.88	0.17	0.08 ± 0.06	0.18
wing	Duration	base HAB +	ВМ	1.10	0.15	0.09 ± 0.06	0.15
Luminance wing Luminance	Duration	FOR + MSF	вм	1.32	0.14	0.07 ± 0.06	0.23
wing	Duration	FOR	BM	1.52	0.12	0.07 ± 0.06	0.26
Luminance	Frequency	HAB +	DIVI	1.52	0.12	0.07 ± 0.00	0.20
wing	slope	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.00	0.26	-0.05 ± 0.05	0.30
Luminance wing Luminance	Frequency slope	FOR + MSF	вм	0.94	0.16	-0.06 ± 0.05	0.22
wing Luminance	Frequency slope Frequency	MSF	вм	1.05	0.15	-0.06 ± 0.05	0.24
wing Luminance	slope Frequency	base	вм	1.30	0.13	-0.06 ± 0.05	0.21
wing	slope	FOR	BM	1.35	0.13	-0.05 ± 0.05	0.29
Luminance	Note	HAB +					
wing	count	MSF HAB +	BM	0.00	0.32	0.07 ± 0.06	0.27
Luminance	Note count	FOR + MSF	вм	1.26	0.17	0.07 ± 0.06	0.24
Luminance	Note count	FOR	вм	1.65	0.14	0.06 ± 0.06	0.31
Luminance wing	Note count	MSF	BM	1.74	0.13	0.06 ± 0.06	0.34
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Luminance	Note	HAB +	DM	0.00	0.27	0.08 ± 0.06	0.15
wing Luminance	diversity Note	MSF	BM	0.00	0.27	-0.08 ± 0.06	0.15
wing	diversity	FOR	вм	0.70	0.19	-0.10 ± 0.06	0.10
wiiig	diversity	HAB +	DIVI	0.70	0.13	-0.10 ± 0.00	0.10
Luminance	Note	FOR +					
wing	diversity	MSF	ВМ	0.89	0.17	-0.09 ± 0.06	0.12
Luminance	Note	14131	DIVI	0.05	0.17	0.05 ± 0.00	0.12
wing	diversity	MSF	BM	1.94	0.10	-0.07 ± 0.06	0.22
Luminance		HAB +					
wing	Note rate	MSF	BM	0.00	0.28	0.00 ± 0.06	0.94
Luminance							
wing	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.18	0.15	-0.02 ± 0.06	0.69
Luminance							
wing	Note rate	FOR	BM	1.38	0.14	-0.01 ± 0.06	0.92
Luminance							
wing	Note rate	base	BM	1.50	0.13	-0.03 ± 0.06	0.62
		HAB +					
Luminance		FOR +					
wing	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.51	0.13	$0.00 \pm 0.06$	0.97
Luminance		HAB +					
wing	Note type	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.22	-0.07 ± 0.10	0.50
		HAB +					
Luminance	Note to see	FOR +	DNA	0.20	0.20	0.10   0.11	0.40
wing Luminance	Note type	MSF	BM	0.20	0.20	-0.10 ± 0.11	0.40
wing	Note type	FOR	вм	1.18	0.12	-0.13 ± 0.11	0.21
Luminance	Note type	TOR	DIVI	1.10	0.12	-0.13 ± 0.11	0.21
wing	Note type	MSF	ВМ	1.37	0.11	-0.07 ± 0.11	0.50
Luminance	Note type	14131	DIVI	1.57	0.11	0.07 ± 0.11	0.50
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dorsal	Duration	MSF	BM	0.00	0.52	0.19 ± 0.09	0.05*
MaxPower							
dorsal	Duration	MSF	BM	0.83	0.35	0.20 ± 0.09	0.03*
MaxPower	Frequency	HAB +					
dorsal	slope	MSF	BM	0.00	0.49	-0.13 ± 0.08	0.08
MaxPower	Frequency						
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MaxPower	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	count	MSF	BM	0.00	0.59	$0.14 \pm 0.09$	0.12
MaxPower	Note	HAB +				-0.16 ±	
dorsal	diversity	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.54	0.088	0.07
MaxPower	Nists water	HAB +	D. A. 4	0.00	0.54	0.02   0.00	0.00
dorsal	Note rate	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.51	-0.02 ± 0.09	0.80
MaxPower dorsal	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.20	0.28	0.05 ± 0.00	0.57
MaxPower	Note rate	HAB +	ואוט	1.20	0.20	-0.05 ± 0.09	0.57
dorsal	Note type	MSF	вм	0.00	0.47	-0.15 ± 0.16	0.34
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dorsal	Note type	MSF	ВМ	1.54	0.22	-0.16 ± 0.16	0.35
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MaxPower		FOR +					
dorsal	Note type	MSF	ВМ	1.83	0.19	-0.25 ± 0.17	0.15
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MaxPower	Duration	FOR +	DIVI	1.45	0.12	0.27 ± 0.20	0.16
ventral	Duration	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.56	0.11	0.27 ± 0.20	0.17
MaxPower		FOR +					
ventral	Duration	MSF	BM	1.69	0.10	$0.27 \pm 0.20$	0.17
MaxPower ventral MaxPower	Frequency slope Frequency	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.22	-0.11 ± 0.16	0.52
ventral MaxPower	slope Frequency	base FOR +	ВМ	0.35	0.19	-0.08 ± 0.16	0.64
ventral MaxPower	slope Frequency	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.23	0.12	-0.12 ± 0.16	0.45
ventral	slope	MSF	ВМ	1.32	0.12	-0.09 ± 0.16	0.57
	_	HAB +					
MaxPower ventral	Frequency slope	FOR + MSF	BM	1.33	0.12	-0.13 ± 0.16	0.43
MaxPower	Frequency		5	1.00	0.12	0.10 _ 0.10	0.15
ventral	slope	FOR	BM	1.52	0.11	-0.06 ± 0.16	0.72
MaxPower	Note	NACE	BM	0.00	0.20	0.22 ± 0.10	0.00
ventral MaxPower	count Note	MSF	BIVI	0.00	0.20	0.32 ± 0.18	0.09
ventral	count	base	вм	0.19	0.18	0.33 ± 0.19	0.08
				0.13	0.20		
		HAB +		0.13	0.10		
MaxPower	Note	FOR +	DN/			0.25 + 0.19	0.06
ventral	count		ВМ	0.73	0.14	0.35 ± 0.18	0.06
		FOR +	BM BM			$0.35 \pm 0.18$ $0.34 \pm 0.19$	0.06 0.07
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note	FOR + MSF FOR HAB +	вм	0.73	0.14	0.34 ± 0.19	0.07
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral	count Note count Note count	FOR + MSF FOR HAB + MSF		0.73	0.14		
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note	FOR + MSF FOR HAB + MSF FOR +	BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89	0.14 0.13 0.13	0.34 ± 0.19 0.34 ± 0.18	0.07
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral	count Note count Note count	FOR + MSF FOR HAB + MSF	вм	0.73	0.14	0.34 ± 0.19	0.07
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral	count Note count Note count Note count	FOR + MSF FOR HAB + MSF FOR +	BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89	0.14 0.13 0.13	0.34 ± 0.19 0.34 ± 0.18	0.07
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note count Note count Note	FOR + MSF FOR HAB + MSF FOR + MSF	BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$	0.07 0.07 0.08
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity	FOR + MSF  FOR HAB + MSF FOR + MSF  MSF FOR + MSF	BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$	0.07 0.07 0.08
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity Note diversity	FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF FOR + MSF  MSF HAB +	BM BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24 0.00	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11 0.17	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$ $-0.27 \pm 0.19$	0.07 0.07 0.08 0.15
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity Note diversity Note	FOR + MSF  FOR HAB + MSF FOR + MSF  MSF FOR + MSF	BM BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24 0.00	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11 0.17	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$ $-0.27 \pm 0.19$	0.07 0.07 0.08 0.15
ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity Note diversity	FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  MSF  FOR + MSF  HAB + FOR +	BM BM BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24 0.00 0.05	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11 0.17 0.16	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$ $-0.27 \pm 0.19$ $-0.35 \pm 0.19$	0.07 0.07 0.08 0.15 0.07
ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity Note diversity Note diversity Note diversity	FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  MSF  FOR + MSF  HAB + FOR +	BM BM BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24 0.00 0.05	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11 0.17 0.16	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$ $-0.27 \pm 0.19$ $-0.35 \pm 0.19$	0.07 0.07 0.08 0.15 0.07
ventral MaxPower	count Note count Note count Note count Note diversity Note diversity Note diversity Note	FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  FOR + MSF  MSF  MSF  FOR + MSF  HAB + FOR + MSF	BM BM BM BM BM	0.73 0.89 0.89 1.24 0.00 0.05	0.14 0.13 0.13 0.11 0.17 0.16	$0.34 \pm 0.19$ $0.34 \pm 0.18$ $0.32 \pm 0.18$ $-0.27 \pm 0.19$ $-0.35 \pm 0.19$ $-0.34 \pm 0.19$	0.07 0.07 0.08 0.15 0.07

MaxPower	Note	HAB+					
ventral MaxPower	diversity	MSF	BM	0.93	0.10	-0.29 ± 0.19	0.13
ventral MaxPower	Note rate	MSF	вм	0.00	0.17	0.06 ± 0.19	0.74
ventral MaxPower	Note rate	base	BM	0.04	0.17	0.08 ± 0.18	0.66
ventral	Note rate	FOR HAB +	BM	0.75	0.12	0.14 ± 0.19	0.47
MaxPower	Note rate	FOR + MSF	OU	1.01	0.10	0.32 ± 0.15	0.04*
ventral MaxPower	Note rate	HAB +	00	1.01	0.10	U.32 ± U.13	0.04
ventral MaxPower	Note rate	MSF FOR +	ВМ	1.07	0.10	0.09 ± 0.19	0.62
ventral	Note rate	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.34	0.09	0.08 ± 0.19	0.67
MaxPower		FOR +					
ventral MaxPower	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.36	0.09	$0.11 \pm 0.19$	0.58
ventral MaxPower	Note type	MSF	вм	0.00	0.21	0.07 ± 0.34	0.83
ventral MaxPower	Note type	base HAB +	ВМ	0.07	0.21	$0.11 \pm 0.34$	0.76
ventral MaxPower	Note type	MSF	BM	1.23	0.12	0.07 ± 0.34	0.83
ventral MaxPower	Note type	FOR +	BM	1.25	0.11	-0.03 ± 0.35	0.93
ventral	Note type	MSF HAB +	BM	1.35	0.11	-0.12 ± 0.36	0.74
MaxPower ventral	Note type	FOR + MSF	BM	1.65	0.09	-0.03 ± 0.37	0.94
MaxPower	Note type	HAB + FOR +	DIVI	1.05	0.09	-0.05 ± 0.57	0.94
wing MaxPower	Duration	MSF HAB +	вм	0.00	0.39	0.02 ± 0.08	0.80
wing MaxPower	Duration	FOR	BM	0.51	0.30	0.01 ± 0.08	0.92
wing	Duration	FOR	BM	1.90	0.15	$0.01 \pm 0.08$	0.94
MaxPower	Eroguonev	HAB + FOR +					
wing	Frequency slope	MSF	BM	0.00	0.36	0.01 ± 0.06	0.82
MaxPower	Frequency	HAB +					
wing MaxPower	slope Frequency	FOR	BM	0.23	0.32	0.03 ± 0.06	0.62
wing	slope	FOR	BM	1.44	0.17	$0.04 \pm 0.06$	0.52
MaxPower	Note	HAB + FOR +					
wing	count	MSF	BM	0.00	0.42	0.08 ± 0.07	0.29
MaxPower	Note	HAB+					
wing	count	FOR	BM	0.62	0.31	$0.07 \pm 0.07$	0.31

MaxPower	Note	HAB + FOR +					
wing MaxPower	diversity Note	MSF HAB +	BM	0.00	0.42	-0.08 ± 0.07	0.30
wing	diversity	FOR	BM	0.50	0.32	-0.08 ± 0.07	0.30
MaxPower		HAB + FOR +					
wing MaxPower	Note rate	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.00	0.39	0.05 ± 0.07	0.47
wing MaxPower	Note rate	FOR	ВМ	0.28	0.33	0.06 ± 0.07	0.41
wing	Note rate	FOR	ВМ	1.84	0.15	0.05 ± 0.07	0.46
******	note rate	HAB+	2	1.0	0.12	0.03 = 0.07	0.10
MaxPower		FOR +					
wing	Note type	MSF	BM	0.00	0.38	$0.01 \pm 0.14$	0.92
MaxPower		HAB +					
wing MaxPower	Note type	FOR	ВМ	0.46	0.30	$0.00 \pm 0.13$	0.99
wing	Note type	FOR	BM	1.84	0.15	$0.01 \pm 0.13$	0.93
SumPower dorsal SumPower	Duration	HAB + MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.48	0.14 ± 0.08	0.09
dorsal	Duration	MSF	ВМ	0.87	0.31	0.16 ± 0.08	0.06
SumPower	Frequency	HAB +	2	0.07	0.02	0.20 2 0.00	0.00
dorsal SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF	BM	0.00	0.48	-0.12 ± 0.07	0.08
dorsal	slope	MSF	ВМ	1.08	0.28	-0.13 ± 0.07	0.06
SumPower	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	count	MSF	BM	0.00	0.57	$0.12 \pm 0.08$	0.13
SumPower	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	diversity	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.51	-0.14 ± 0.08	0.07
SumPower	Note	FOR +	D. 4	2.00	0.40	0.44 + 0.00	0.07
dorsal	diversity	MSF	BM	2.00	0.19	-0.14 ± 0.08	0.07
SumPower	Note rate	HAB + MSF	вм	0.00	0.51	0.00 ± 0.08	0.99
SumPower dorsal	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.35	0.26	-0.03 ± 0.08	0.74
SumPower	note rate	HAB +	D.W.	1.00	0.20	0.03 _ 0.00	0.7 .
dorsal SumPower	Note type	MSF FOR +	ВМ	0.00	0.43	-0.15 ± 0.14	0.29
dorsal	Note type	MSF	вм	1.10	0.25	-0.24 ± 0.15	0.12
SumPower dorsal	Note type	MSF	BM	1.54	0.20	-0.15 ± 0.14	0.29
SumPower	Note type	14131	DIVI	1.54	0.20	0.15 ± 0.14	0.23
ventral SumPower	Duration	MSF	BM	0.00	0.24	0.28 ± 0.19	0.14
ventral SumPower	Duration	base HAB +	вм	0.55	0.18	0.26 ± 0.19	0.17
ventral	Duration	MSF	ВМ	1.42	0.12	0.26 ± 0.19	0.17
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SumPower ventral	Duration	FOR + MSF	BM	1.64	0.11	0.27 ± 0.19	0.16

SumPower		HAB + FOR +					
ventral SumPower	Duration Frequency	MSF	ВМ	1.85	0.09	$0.26 \pm 0.19$	0.17
ventral SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.23	-0.11 ± 0.15	0.49
ventral SumPower	slope Frequency	base HAB +	ВМ	0.39	0.18	-0.08 ± 0.15	0.61
ventral SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF FOR +	ВМ	1.24	0.12	-0.10 ± 0.16	0.54
ventral	slope	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.28	0.12	-0.13 ± 0.15	0.42
SumPower ventral SumPower	Frequency slope Frequency	FOR + MSF	вм	1.45	0.11	-0.13 ± 0.15	0.41
ventral SumPower	slope Note	FOR	ВМ	1.63	0.10	-0.06 ± 0.15	0.69
ventral SumPower	count Note	MSF	вм	0.00	0.20	$0.30 \pm 0.18$	0.09
ventral SumPower	count Note	base HAB +	ВМ	0.19	0.18	$0.31 \pm 0.18$	0.09
ventral	count	MSF HAB +	вм	0.79	0.13	0.32 ± 0.18	0.08
SumPower ventral SumPower	Note count Note	FOR + MSF	вм	0.88	0.13	0.33 ± 0.17	0.07
ventral SumPower	count Note	FOR FOR +	ВМ	0.95	0.12	$0.32 \pm 0.18$	0.08
ventral SumPower	count	MSF	ВМ	1.28	0.11	0.30 ± 0.17	0.09
ventral SumPower	diversity Note	MSF FOR +	ВМ	0.00	0.17	-0.25 ± 0.18	0.16
ventral SumPower	diversity Note	MSF	ВМ	0.13	0.16	-0.32 ± 0.18	0.08
ventral	diversity	base HAB +	вм	0.27	0.15	-0.26 ± 0.18	0.16
SumPower ventral SumPower	Note diversity Note	FOR + MSF	вм	0.31	0.14	-0.32 ± 0.18	0.08
ventral SumPower	diversity Note	FOR HAB+	ВМ	0.39	0.14	-0.31 ± 0.18	0.10
ventral	diversity	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.83	0.11	-0.27 ± 0.18	0.14
SumPower ventral SumPower	Note rate	FOR + MSF	OU	0.00	0.17	0.29 ± 0.14	0.05*
ventral SumPower	Note rate	MSF	вм	0.25	0.15	0.05 ± 0.18	0.77
ventral SumPower	Note rate	base	вм	0.31	0.15	0.07 ± 0.18	0.68
ventral	Note rate	FOR	ВМ	1.08	0.10	0.13 ± 0.18	0.48

SumPower	Niele eele	FOR +	011	4.40	0.00	0.20 + 0.44	0.05
ventral SumPower	Note rate	MSF HAB +	OU	1.18	0.09	0.28 ± 0.14	0.06
ventral SumPower	Note rate	MSF FOR +	вм	1.24	0.09	0.08 ± 0.18	0.64
ventral	Note rate	MSF HAB +	вм	1.63	0.08	0.07 ± 0.18	0.68
SumPower		FOR +					
ventral	Note rate	MSF	BM	1.74	0.07	$0.10 \pm 0.18$	0.60
SumPower ventral SumPower	Note type	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.21	0.07 ± 0.32	0.83
ventral SumPower	Note type	base HAB +	BM	0.08	0.20	0.11 ± 0.32	0.75
ventral SumPower	Note type	MSF	ВМ	1.13	0.12	0.07 ± 0.32	0.82
ventral SumPower	Note type	FOR FOR +	ВМ	1.32	0.11	-0.02 ± 0.33	0.94
ventral	Note type	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.41	0.10	-0.11 ± 0.34	0.74
SumPower ventral	Note type	FOR + MSF	BM	1.78	0.09	-0.02 ± 0.35	0.95
SumPower	riote type	HAB +	5	2.,0	0.03	0.02 2 0.03	0.33
wing	Duration	FOR HAB+	ВМ	0.00	0.39	0.01 ± 0.07	0.90
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SumPower wing	Duration	FOR + MSF	ВМ	0.74	0.27	0.02 ± 0.07	0.80
wing SumPower	Duration  Duration		BM BM	0.74	0.27		0.80
wing		MSF				0.02 ± 0.07 0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05	
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower	Duration Frequency slope Frequency	MSF FOR HAB + FOR	вм	1.57	0.18	0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05	0.93
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency	FOR HAB + FOR HAB + FOR + MSF	BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02	0.18 0.40 0.24	0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05 0.02 ± 0.06	0.93 0.61 0.79
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope	FOR HAB + FOR + MSF	BM BM	1.57 0.00	0.18	0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05	0.93
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count	FOR HAB + FOR + MSF  FOR HAB + FOR + MSF	BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02	0.18 0.40 0.24	0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05 0.02 ± 0.06	0.93 0.61 0.79
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count Note count	FOR HAB+ FOR+ MSF  FOR HAB+ FOR+ MSF	BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02 1.37	0.18 0.40 0.24 0.20	0.01 ± 0.07 0.03 ± 0.05 0.02 ± 0.06 0.04 ± 0.05	0.93 0.61 0.79 0.51
wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count Note count Note	FOR HAB+ FOR+ MSF  FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR	BM BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02 1.37 0.00	0.18 0.40 0.24 0.20 0.41	$0.01 \pm 0.07$ $0.03 \pm 0.05$ $0.02 \pm 0.06$ $0.04 \pm 0.05$ $0.05 \pm 0.06$ $0.06 \pm 0.06$	0.93 0.61 0.79 0.51 0.40 0.38
wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count Note count	FOR HAB + FOR + HAB + FOR + MSF FOR HAB + FOR +	BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02 1.37 0.00	0.18 0.40 0.24 0.20 0.41	$0.01 \pm 0.07$ $0.03 \pm 0.05$ $0.02 \pm 0.06$ $0.04 \pm 0.05$ $0.05 \pm 0.06$	0.93 0.61 0.79 0.51 0.40
wing SumPower wing	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count Note count Note diversity	FOR HAB+ FOR+ MSF  FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+	BM BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02 1.37 0.00	0.18 0.40 0.24 0.20 0.41	$0.01 \pm 0.07$ $0.03 \pm 0.05$ $0.02 \pm 0.06$ $0.04 \pm 0.05$ $0.05 \pm 0.06$ $0.06 \pm 0.06$	0.93 0.61 0.79 0.51 0.40 0.38
wing SumPower	Duration Frequency slope Frequency slope Frequency slope Note count Note count Note count Note	FOR HAB+ FOR+ MSF  FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR HAB+ FOR FOR	BM BM BM BM BM BM	1.57 0.00 1.02 1.37 0.00 0.72 1.77	0.18 0.40 0.24 0.20 0.41 0.28 0.17	$0.01 \pm 0.07$ $0.03 \pm 0.05$ $0.02 \pm 0.06$ $0.04 \pm 0.05$ $0.05 \pm 0.06$ $0.06 \pm 0.06$	0.93 0.61 0.79 0.51 0.40 0.38 0.46

SumPower		HAB +					
wing	Note rate	FOR	BM	0.00	0.42	$0.04 \pm 0.06$	0.51
		HAB +					
SumPower		FOR +					
wing	Note rate	MSF	BM	0.95	0.26	$0.03 \pm 0.06$	0.59
SumPower							
wing	Note rate	FOR	BM	1.69	0.18	$0.04 \pm 0.06$	0.57
SumPower		HAB +					
wing	Note type	FOR	BM	0.00	0.39	-0.01 ± 0.12	0.93
		HAB +					
SumPower		FOR +					
wing	Note type	MSF	BM	0.81	0.26	$0.00 \pm 0.12$	0.97
SumPower							
wing	Note type	FOR	BM	1.57	0.18	$0.00 \pm 0.12$	0.98

**Table S3.** PGLS results of the relationship between selected female plumage and song traits. The first row of each relationship corresponds to the best model and the others correspond to the competing models ( $\Delta$ AIC  $\leq$  2).  $\beta$  is the effect size of each correlation and SE is it standard error. An asterisk indicates when the relationship is significant (P value  $\leq$  0.05). HAB = Habitat exposure, FOR = Foraging strata and MSF = Mixed-species flocking behavior.

Plumage	Song		Evolutionary				
character	character	Model	model	ΔΑΙC	ωί	β ± SE	Р
Contrast wing Contrast	Duration	base	ВМ	0.00	0.37	0.08 ± 0.17	0.66
wing	Duration	НАВ	ВМ	2.00	0.14	0.08 ± 0.17	0.66
Contrast wing Contrast	Frequency slope Frequency	base	ВМ	0.00	0.30	-0.09 ± 0.15	0.56
wing Contrast	slope Frequency	MSF	OU	1.56	0.14	-0.31 ± 0.15	0.05*
wing	slope	НАВ	ВМ	2.00	0.11	-0.09 ± 0.18	0.57
Contrast wing Contrast	Note count Note	MSF	OU	0.00	0.19	0.33 ± 0.13	0.02*
wing Contrast	count Note	base	ВМ	0.50	0.15	0.11 ± 0.15	0.48
wing Contrast	count Note	HAB HAB+	OU	0.98	0.12	0.35 ± 0.13	0.02*
wing Contrast	count Note	FOR HAB+	OU	1.07	0.11	0.33 ± 0.13	0.02*
wing	count	MSF	OU	1.18	0.11	0.32 ± 0.13	0.02*
Contrast wing Contrast	Note diversity Note	MSF HAB +	OU	0.00	0.35	-0.44 ± 0.13	0.002*
wing Contrast	diversity Note	MSF	OU	1.62	0.15	-0.43 ± 0.13	0.003*
wing	diversity	НАВ	OU	1.97	0.13	-0.44 ± 0.13	0.002*
Contrast wing Contrast	Note rate	base	вм	0.00	0.30	0.04 ± 0.16	0.83
wing	Note rate	HAB	ВМ	2.00	0.11	0.04 ± 0.17	0.83
Luminance dorsal Luminance	Duration	base	OU	0.00	0.22	0.09 ± 0.09	0.30
dorsal Luminance	Duration	MSF	ВМ	0.87	0.14	0.06 ± 0.09	0.55
dorsal	Duration	MSF	OU	1.08	0.13	0.13 ± 0.09	0.17

Luminance dorsal	Duration	НАВ	OU	1.88	0.09	0.10 ± 0.09	0.29
Luminance dorsal	Frequency slope	MSF	OU	0.00	0.18	-0.18 ± 0.08	0.03*
Luminance dorsal	Frequency slope	MSF	вм	0.08	0.17	-0.15 ± 0.09	0.08
Luminance dorsal	Frequency slope	base	OU	0.15	0.17	-0.14 ± 0.08	0.08
Luminance dorsal	Frequency slope	HAB	OU	1.68	0.08	-0.15 ± 0.08	0.07
Luminance dorsal Luminance	Frequency slope Frequency	HAB + MSF HAB +	OU	1.90	0.07	-0.19 ± 0.09	0.03*
dorsal	slope Note	MSF	ВМ	1.96	0.07	-0.15 ± 0.09	0.09
dorsal Luminance	count Note	base	OU	0.00	0.20	-0.01 ± 0.07	0.89
dorsal Luminance	count	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.14	0.18	0.01 ± 0.09	0.95
dorsal Luminance	count Note	MSF	ВМ	1.92	0.07	0.01 ± 0.09	0.88
dorsal Luminance	count Note	HAB	OU	1.98	0.07	-0.01 ± 0.08	0.91
dorsal Luminance	diversity Note	MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.19	-0.08 ± 0.10	0.40
dorsal Luminance	diversity Note	base HAB +	OU	0.30	0.16	-0.04 ± 0.07	0.55
dorsal Luminance	diversity Note	FOR HAB +	BM	1.57	0.09	-0.10 ± 0.10	0.30
dorsal Luminance	diversity Note	MSF	ВМ	1.63	0.08	-0.09 ± 0.10	0.37
dorsal Luminance	diversity	MSF	OU	1.98	0.07	-0.07 ± 0.08	0.39
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	base	OU	0.00	0.24	-0.09 ± 0.08	0.28
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	MSF	ВМ	1.14	0.14	-0.04 ± 0.10	0.66
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	MSF	OU	1.36	0.12	-0.18 ± 0.09	0.19
dorsal Luminance	Note rate	HAB	OU	1.99	0.09	-0.09 ± 0.08	0.30
wing Luminance	Duration	base HAB +	ВМ	0.00	0.21	-0.02 ± 0.08	0.79
wing	Duration	MSF HAB +	OU	0.35	0.17	0.04 ± 0.08	0.61
Luminance wing Luminance	Duration	FOR + MSF	OU	1.24	0.11	0.02 ± 0.08	0.78
wing Luminance	Duration	FOR	OU	1.28	0.11	-0.03 ± 0.08	0.70
wing	Duration	HAB	ВМ	1.90	0.08	-0.02 ± 0.08	0.80

Luminance wing	Frequency slope	HAB + MSF HAB +	OU	0.00	0.25	-0.10 ± 0.07	0.19
Luminance wing Luminance	Frequency slope Frequency	FOR + MSF	OU	0.85	0.16	-0.09 ± 0.07	0.23
wing	slope	base	BM	1.00	0.15	-0.05 ± 0.07	0.52
Luminance wing Luminance	Note count Note	base HAB +	ВМ	0.00	0.21	-0.04 ± 0.07	0.58
wing	count	MSF HAB +	OU	0.23	0.19	0.05 ± 0.06	0.44
Luminance wing Luminance	Note count Note	FOR + MSF	OU	1.13	0.12	0.04 ± 0.06	0.55
wing Luminance	count Note	FOR	OU	1.42	0.10	0.03 ± 0.06	0.62
wing	count	HAB	BM	1.94	0.08	-0.04 ± 0.07	0.61
Luminance wing Luminance	Note diversity Note	HAB + MSF	OU	0.00	0.24	-0.08 ± 0.06	0.25
wing	diversity	base	ВМ	0.95	0.15	0.02 ± 0.08	0.84
Luminance wing	Note diversity	FOR HAB +	OU	1.22	0.13	-0.06 ± 0.06	0.32
Luminance	Note	FOR +	011	1 24	0.12	0.00 + 0.07	0.20
wing Luminance	diversity	MSF	OU	1.24	0.13	-0.06 ± 0.07	0.38
wing Luminance	Note rate	base	вм	0.00	0.19	-0.02 ± 0.08	0.75
wing Luminance	Note rate	FOR HAB +	OU	0.39	0.16	0.07 ± 0.07	0.33
wing	Note rate	MSF HAB + FOR +	OU	0.45	0.16	0.04 ± 0.08	0.65
Luminance wing Luminance	Note rate	MSF	OU	1.03	0.12	0.04 ± 0.08	0.61
wing	Note rate	HAB	BM	1.92	0.07	-0.02 ± 0.08	0.79
MaxPower dorsal MaxPower	Duration	FOR + MSF HAB +	OU	0.00	0.22	0.15 ± 0.10	0.17
dorsal MaxPower	Duration	MSF	OU	0.30	0.19	0.18 ± 0.10	0.09
dorsal MaxPower	Duration	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.37	0.18	0.11 ± 0.10	0.29
dorsal	Duration	MSF HAB +	ВМ	1.05	0.13	0.11 ± 0.10	0.31
MaxPower dorsal MaxPower	Duration	FOR + MSF FOR +	ВМ	1.67	0.09	-0.30 ± 0.19	0.13
dorsal	Duration	MSF	ВМ	1.91	0.08	0.09 ± 0.11	0.40

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MaxPower	Dunation	FOR +	011	1.00	0.00	0.15 + 0.11	0.10
dorsal MaxPower	Duration Frequency	MSF HAB +	OU	1.96	0.08	$0.15 \pm 0.11$	0.18
dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	0.00	0.33	-0.29 ± 0.08	0.002*
MaxPower	Frequency	FOR +	00	0.00	0.55	0.23 ± 0.00	0.002
dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	0.02	0.33	-0.27 ± 0.09	0.004*
		HAB +					
MaxPower	Frequency	FOR +					
dorsal	slope	MSF	OU	2.00	0.12	-0.27 ± 0.09	0.01*
MaxPower	Note	FOR +					
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	0.00	0.24	$0.11 \pm 0.08$	0.18
MaxPower	Note	HAB +					
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	0.61	0.18	$0.13 \pm 0.08$	0.11
MaxPower	Note	NACE	DAA	0.07	0.15	0.07   0.10	0.45
dorsal MaxPower	count Note	MSF HAB +	BM	0.97	0.15	$0.07 \pm 0.10$	0.45
dorsal	count	MSF	ВМ	1.02	0.14	0.10 ± 0.10	0.31
MaxPower	Note	FOR +	DIVI	1.02	0.14	0.10 ± 0.10	0.51
dorsal	count	MSF	BM	1.61	0.11	0.09 ± 0.10	0.34
		HAB +					
MaxPower	Note	FOR +					
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	1.94	0.09	$0.11 \pm 0.08$	0.18
MaxPower	Note	FOR +					
dorsal	diversity	MSF	OU	0.00	0.39	-0.22 ± 0.08	0.01*
MaxPower	Note	HAB +	011	4.66	0.47	0.00 . 0.00	0.04*
dorsal	diversity	MSF	OU	1.66	0.17	-0.22 ± 0.08	0.01*
MaxPower	Note	HAB + FOR +					
dorsal	diversity	MSF	OU	2.00	0.14	-0.22 ± 0.08	0.01*
MaxPower	arversity	14131		2.00	0.14	0.22 ± 0.00	0.01
dorsal	Note rate	MSF	BM	0.00	0.23	-0.03 ± 0.11	0.82
MaxPower		FOR +					
dorsal	Note rate	MSF	OU	0.53	0.18	$0.04 \pm 0.10$	0.70
MaxPower		HAB +					
dorsal	Note rate	MSF	BM	0.68	0.17	$0.01 \pm 0.11$	0.94
MaxPower		FOR +					
dorsal	Note rate	MSF	ВМ	1.09	0.14	$0.03 \pm 0.11$	0.81
MaxPower	Duration	haso	BM	0.00	0.47	0.08 ± 0.13	0.54
wing MaxPower	Duration	base	DIVI	0.00	0.47	0.08 ± 0.13	0.54
wing	Duration	HAB	вм	2.00	0.17	0.08 ± 0.14	0.54
MaxPower	Frequency		3.11		5.17	J.JJ _ J.I7	3.5 1
wing	slope	base	ВМ	0.00	0.44	-0.16 ± 0.12	0.20
MaxPower	Frequency						
wing	slope	HAB	BM	1.99	0.16	-0.16 ± 0.12	0.21
MaxPower	Note						
wing	count	base	BM	0.00	0.46	$0.16 \pm 0.12$	0.19
MaxPower	Note		514	4.0-	0.4-	0.46 : 0.45	0.46
wing	count	HAB	ВМ	1.95	0.17	$0.16 \pm 0.12$	0.19

MaxPower wing	Note diversity	base	вм	0.00	0.44	-0.18 ± 0.14	0.19
MaxPower wing	Note diversity	НАВ	ВМ	1.95	0.16	-0.19 ± 0.14	0.19
MaxPower wing MaxPower	Note rate	base	ВМ	0.00	0.42	0.08 ± 0.13	0.54
wing MaxPower	Note rate	FOR	BM	1.71	0.18	0.14 ± 0.14	0.33
wing	Note rate	HAB	ВМ	1.99	0.15	0.08 ± 0.13	0.55
SumPower dorsal SumPower	Duration	MSF HAB +	вм	0.00	0.33	0.09 ± 0.09	0.33
dorsal SumPower	Duration	MSF FOR +	ВМ	0.80	0.22	0.09 ± 0.09	0.35
dorsal SumPower	Duration Frequency	MSF	BM	1.66	0.15	$0.08 \pm 0.10$	0.45
dorsal SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF FOR +	BM	0.00	0.25	-0.22 ± 0.08	0.01*
dorsal SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF HAB +	OU	0.61	0.19	-0.25 ± 0.08	0.01*
dorsal SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF HAB +	OU	0.81	0.17	-0.28 ± 0.08	0.002*
dorsal SumPower	slope Frequency	MSF FOR +	вм	0.84	0.17	-0.21 ± 0.08	0.02*
dorsal	slope	MSF	ВМ	1.77	0.10	-0.20 ± 0.08	0.02*
SumPower dorsal SumPower	Note count Note	HAB + MSF	ВМ	0.00	0.20	0.12 ± 0.09	0.19
dorsal SumPower	count Note	MSF FOR +	BM	0.04	0.20	0.09 ± 0.09	0.29
dorsal SumPower	count	MSF FOR +	OU	0.52	0.16	0.14 ± 0.07	0.07
dorsal SumPower	count	MSF HAB +	BM	0.63	0.15	0.11 ± 0.09	0.21
dorsal	count	MSF	OU	1.19	0.11	0.16 ± 0.07	0.04*
SumPower dorsal	Note diversity	FOR + MSF HAB +	OU	0.00	0.38	-0.24 ± 0.07	0.003*
SumPower dorsal	Note diversity	FOR + MSF	OU	2.00	0.14	-0.24 ± 0.07	0.003*
SumPower dorsal SumPower	Note rate	MSF HAB +	ВМ	0.00	0.26	0.02 ± 0.10	0.85
dorsal SumPower	Note rate	MSF FOR +	вм	0.47	0.21	0.05 ± 0.10	0.61
dorsal SumPower	Note rate	MSF	ВМ	0.73	0.18	0.07 ± 0.10	0.50
wing SumPower	Duration	base	ВМ	0.00	0.48	0.08 ± 0.12	0.49
wing	Duration	HAB	ВМ	2.00	0.18	$0.08 \pm 0.12$	0.50

SumPower	Frequency slope	base	ВМ	0.00	0.44	-0.14 ± 0.10	0.18
SumPower wing	Frequency slope	НАВ	ВМ	2.00	0.16	-0.14 ± 0.11	0.19
SumPower wing SumPower	Note count Note	base	вм	0.00	0.48	0.16 ± 0.10	0.14
wing	count	HAB	ВМ	1.94	0.18	0.16 ± 0.11	0.15
SumPower wing SumPower	Note diversity Note	base	BM	0.00	0.46	-0.18 ± 0.12	0.14
wing	diversity	HAB	BM	1.95	0.17	-0.18 ± 0.12	0.14
SumPower wing SumPower	Note rate	base	вм	0.00	0.44	0.08 ± 0.11	0.50
wing	Note rate	HAB	BM	1.99	0.16	0.08 ± 0.12	0.50

**Table S4.** List of the recordings analyzed in this study. Acronyms for the online repositories: ML = Macaulay Library; XC = Xeno-canto; FNJV = Fonoteca Neotropical Jacques Vielliard. Acronyms indicating the recordists from private audio collections: BMW = B. M. Whitney; KJZ = K. J. Zimmer; AW = A. Whittaker; DFL = D. F. Lane; MBR = M. B. Robbins; MISC = M. R. Bornschein and B. L. Reinert; SKH = S. K. Herzog. Recordings marked with an asterisk were taken from Isler and Whitney 2002 audio CD.

Species	Subspecies	Catalog	Number	Sex
Formicivora erythronotos		KJZ	071 026	female
Formicivora erythronotos		XC	80178	female
Formicivora erythronotos		ML	137375	male
Formicivora erythronotos		ML	46466	male
Formicivora erythronotos		ML	81843	male
Formicivora grantsaui		KJZ	008 023	male
Formicivora grantsaui		XC	24915	male
Formicivora grantsaui		XC	80196	male
Formicivora grisea	fumosa	ML	61971	male
Formicivora grisea	grisea	BMW	223 032	female
Formicivora grisea	grisea	KJZ	027 009	female
Formicivora grisea	grisea	ML	72343	female
Formicivora grisea	grisea	FNJV	2787	male
Formicivora grisea	grisea	ML	134348	male
Formicivora grisea	grisea	ML	134735	male
Formicivora grisea	grisea	ML	145201	male
Formicivora grisea	grisea	ML	2111	male
Formicivora grisea	hondae	ML	81675	male
Formicivora grisea	intermedia	BMW	168 002	female
Formicivora grisea	intermedia	KJZ	021 022	female
Formicivora grisea	intermedia	KJZ	006 010	male
Formicivora grisea	intermedia	ML	30609	male
Formicivora grisea	intermedia	ML	47826	male
Formicivora grisea	orenocensis	ML	45525	male
Formicivora grisea	rufiventris	ML*	61982	male
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Formicivora littoralis		BMW*	80 23	male

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Formicivora littoralis		XC	80186	male
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Formicivora rufa	urubambae	DFL	016 041	female
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Myrmotherula sclateri		BMW	C0437	female
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Terenura maculata		FNJV	2865	male
Terenura maculata		BMW*	43 06	male
Terenura sicki		XC	107707	male

**Table S5.** List of the museum specimens that were photographed and analyzed in this study. MZUSP = Museu de Zoologia da Universidade de São Paulo; MPEG = Museu Paraense Emílio Goeldi; MNRJ = Museu nacional do Rio de Janeiro; MCZ = Museum of Comparative Zoology of Harvard University; LSUMZ = Louisiana State University Museum of Natural Science; AMNH = American Museum of Natural History; ANSP = Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia; USNM = Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History; FMNH = Field Museum of Natural History.

Species	Subspecies	Museum	Catalog number	Sex
Formicivora erythronotos		MZUSP	76679	female
Formicivora erythronotos		MZUSP	76678	male
Formicivora erythronotos		MNRJ	33300	male
Formicivora erythronotos		MCZ	84709	male
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Formicivora grisea	alticincta	LSUMZ	178892	male
Formicivora grisea	alticincta	LSUMZ	178890	male
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