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**Supplementary material**

## Appendix 1

### Comparison of plant species richness in surfaces of varying sizes

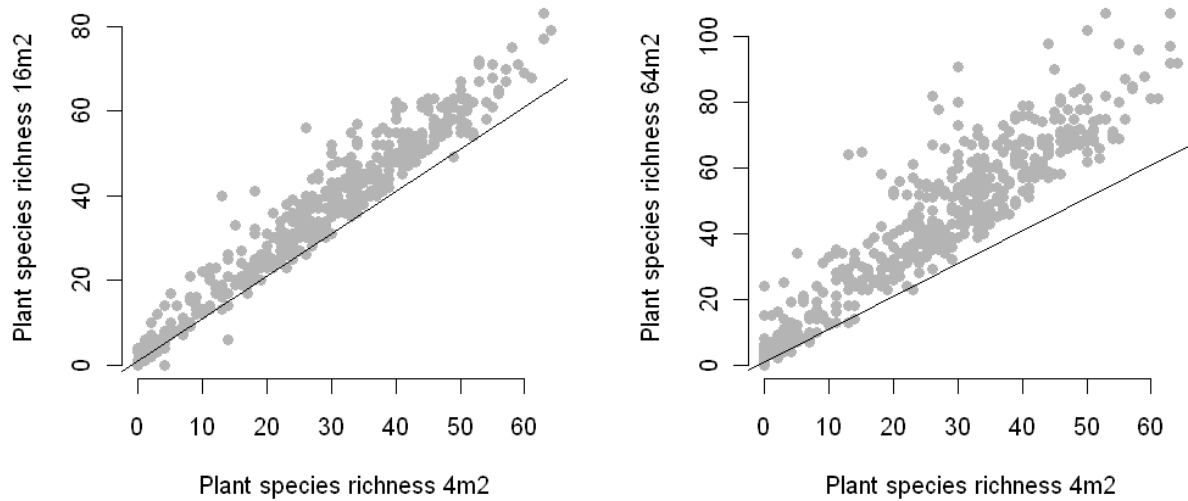


Figure A1. During the summers of 2002-2004, 483 vegetation plots were sampled in the same study area, following a stratified random sampling strategy in open areas such as grasslands, meadows, rock or scree regions. Stratification was defined by considering the elevation, slope and aspect of the sampled area. We recorded the presence of all species based on surfaces of 4m<sup>2</sup>, 16m<sup>2</sup> and 64 m<sup>2</sup>. The plots show the relationships between the plant species richness observed in the 4m<sup>2</sup> plots and the ones observed in 16m<sup>2</sup> and 64 m<sup>2</sup>. The richness in a surface of 4m<sup>2</sup> is a good indicator of the richness in the surrounding grassland.

## Appendix 2

### Phylogenetic inferences

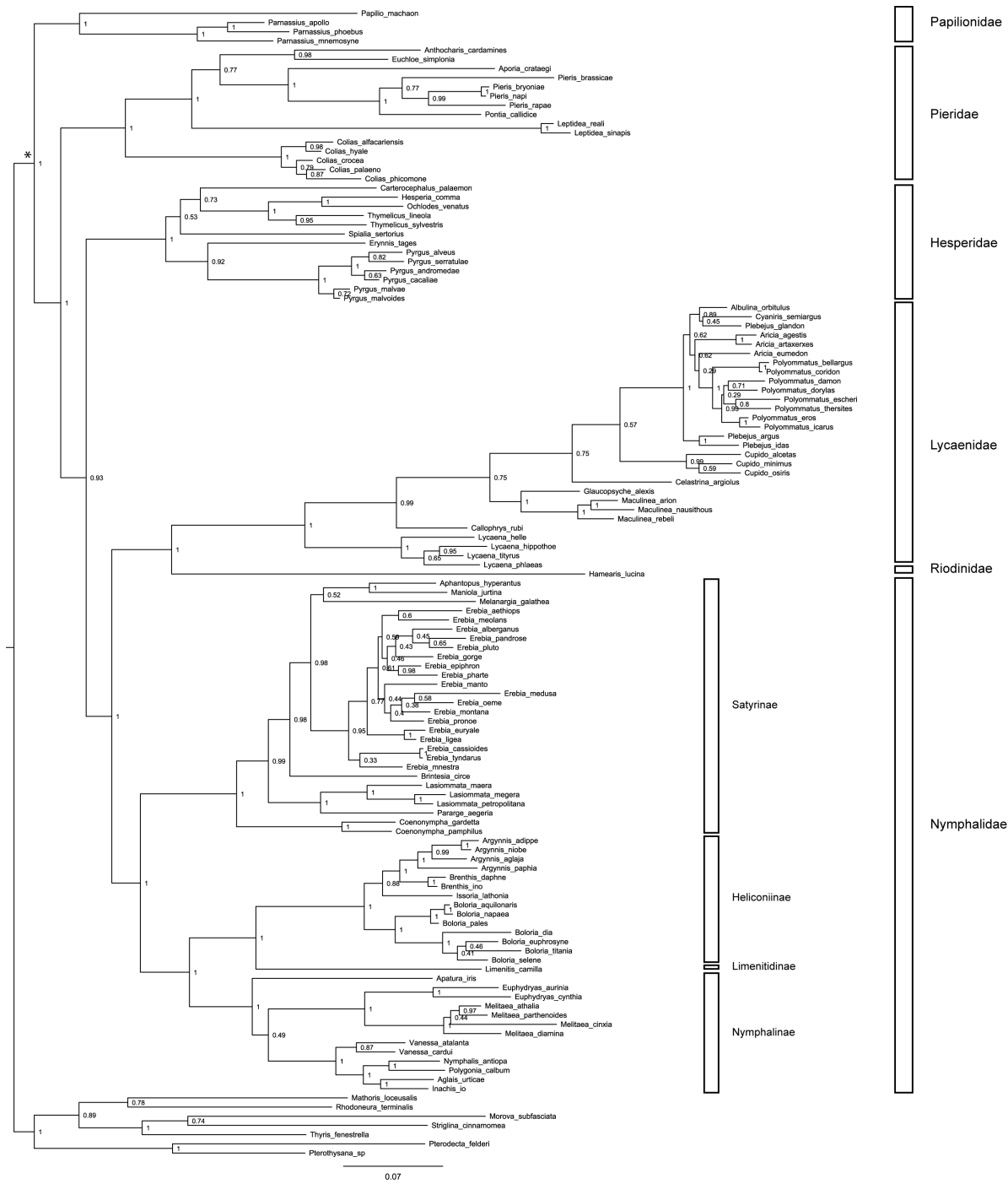


Figure A2. Phylogenetic inference obtained using a Bayesian non-ultrametric approach. Values on nodes indicate Bayesian posterior probabilities (BPP). The star (\*) indicates node incongruence between analytical approaches. Lateral bars show taxonomic position of samples.

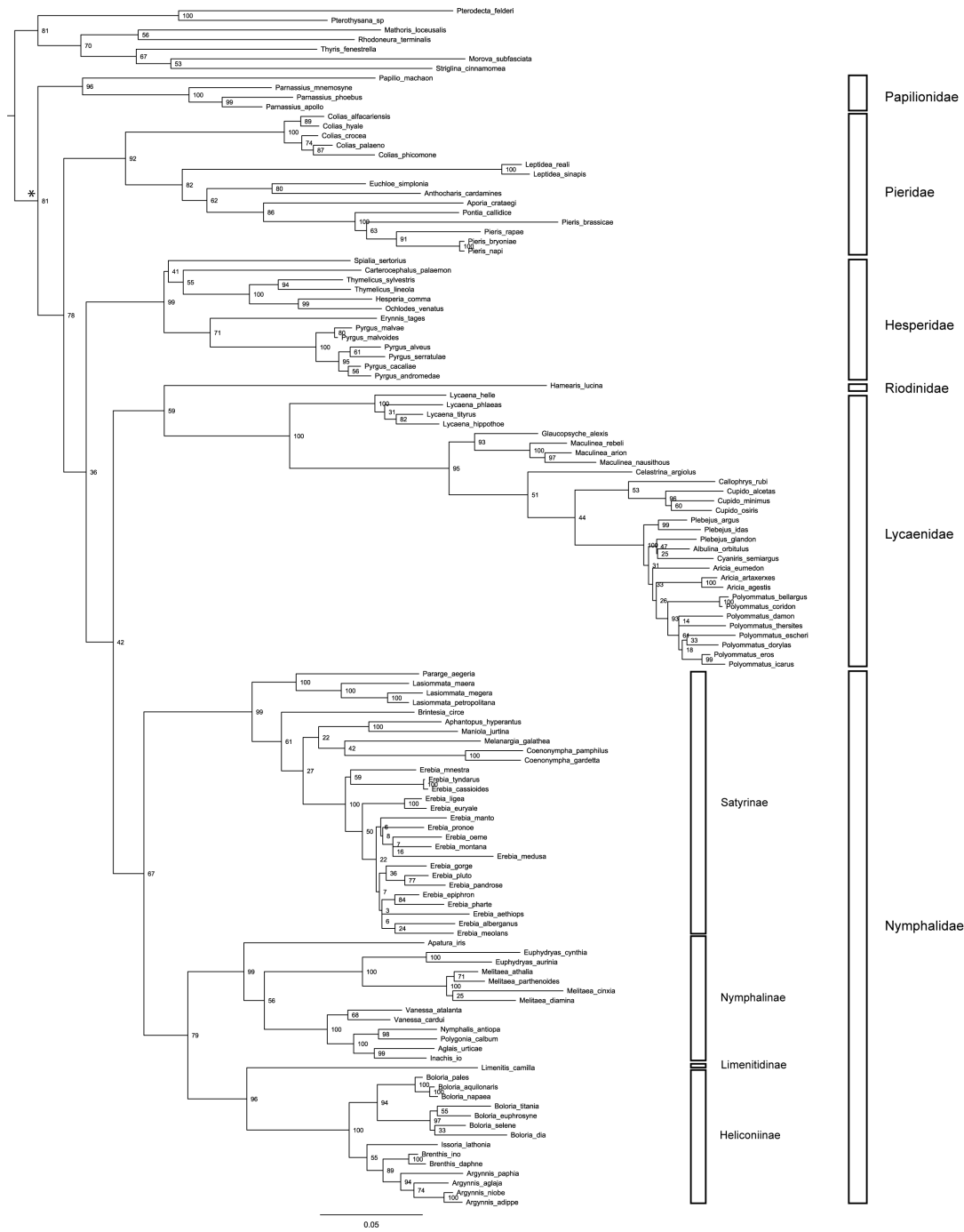


Figure A3. Phylogenetic inference obtained with a Maximum Likelihood approach. Values on nodes indicate bootstrap support. The star (\*) indicates node incongruence between analytical approaches. Lateral bars show the taxonomic position of samples.

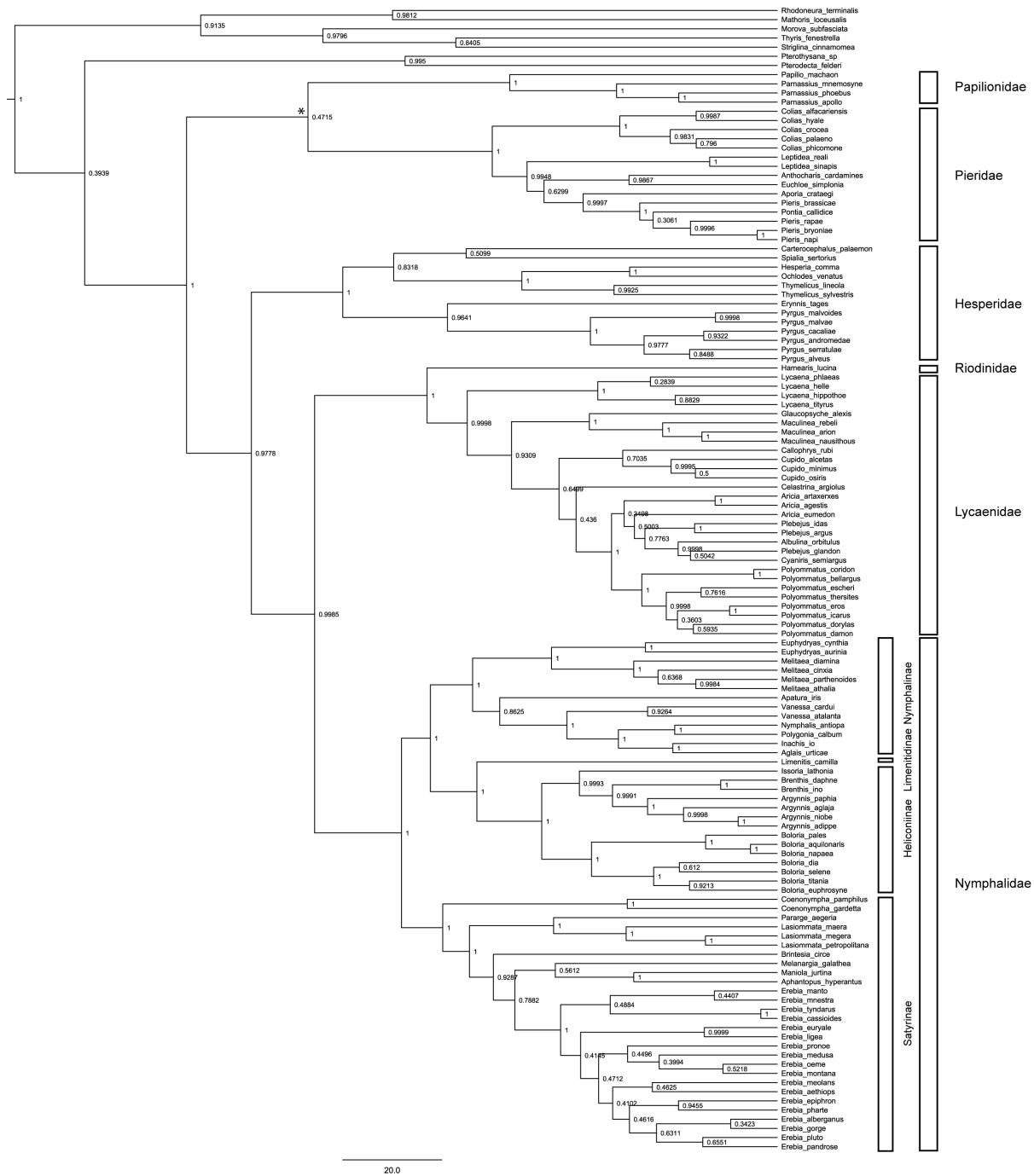


Figure A4. Phylogenetic inference obtained using a Bayesian ultrametric approach. Values on nodes indicate bootstrap support. The star (\*) indicates node incongruence between analytical approaches. Lateral bars show the taxonomic position of samples.

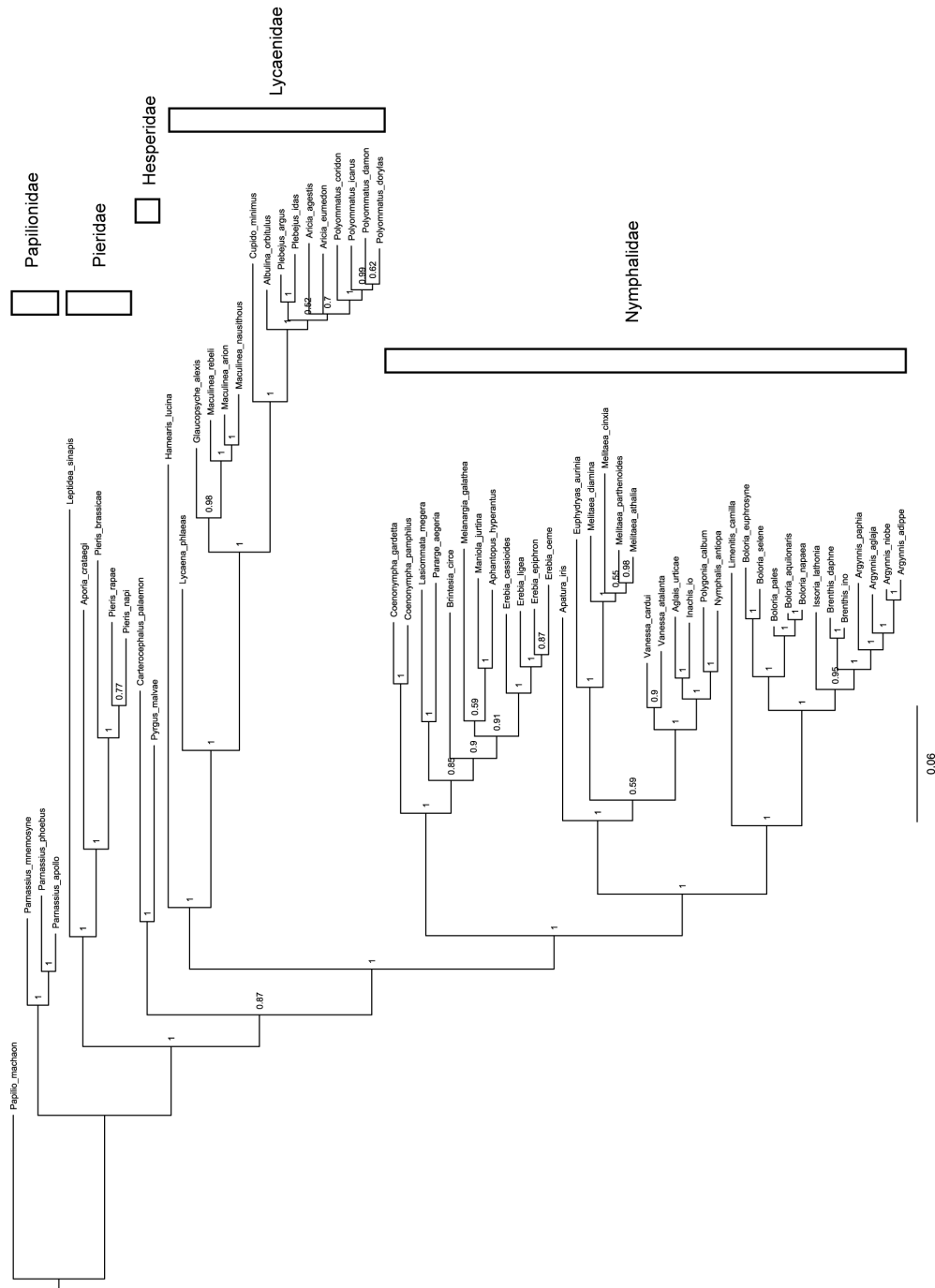


Figure A5. Phylogenetic inference obtained with a Bayesian approach for a reduced dataset comprising only those samples for which more than 50% of the fragments were not unknown. Values on nodes indicate Bayesian posterior probabilities (BPP). Lateral bars show the taxonomic position of samples.

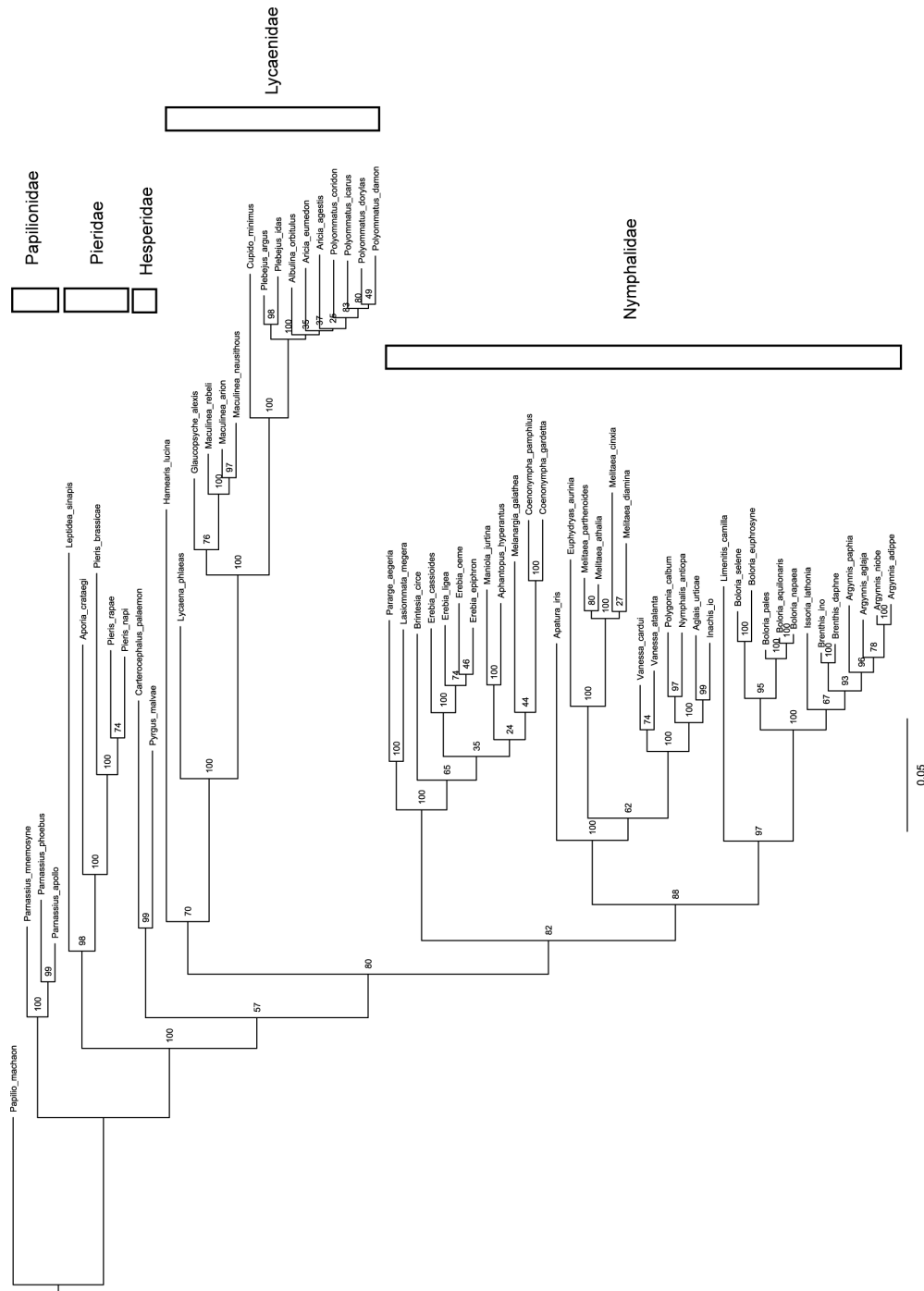


Figure A6. Phylogenetic inference obtained with a Maximum Likelihood approach for a reduced dataset comprising only those samples for which more than 50% of the fragments were not unknown. Values on nodes indicate bootstrap supports. Lateral bars show the taxonomic position of samples.

Table A1. Genbank accession numbers for sequences used in this study.

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<i>Apatura iris</i>	NA	HQ003968	AY090165	NA	NA	AY090132
<i>Aphantopus hyperantus</i>	AF214590	HQ003980	AY090177.PE1	AF229934	NA	AY090144
<i>Aporia crataegi</i>	DQ150067	HQ003987	AY870529	NA	AB044622	DQ082806
<i>Argynnis adippe</i>	NA	HQ004009	DQ922884	NA	NA	DQ922820
<i>Argynnis aglaja</i>	NA	HQ004015	DQ922892	NA	NA	DQ922828
<i>Argynnis niobe</i>	NA	HQ004026	DQ922883	NA	NA	DQ922819
<i>Argynnis paphia</i>	DQ784691	HQ004039	AY090166	NA	AB175868	AF412778
<i>Aricia agestis</i>	NA	HQ004045	AY496824.1	NA	NA	GQ128843
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## Appendix 3

### Community analyses and null-models

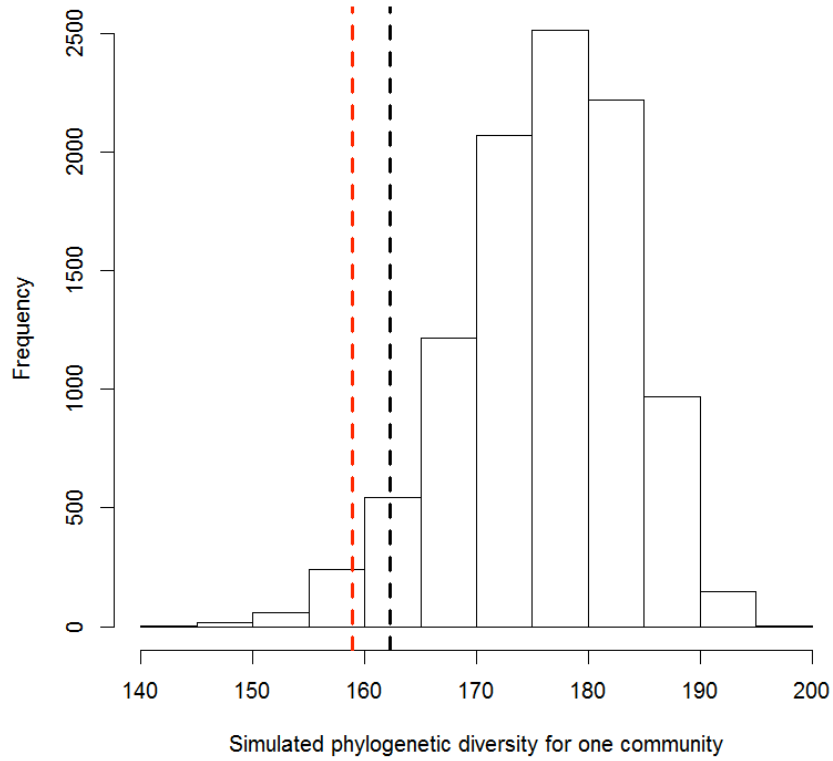


Figure A7. Histogram of the 9999 phylogenetic diversities simulated with the chronogram for one community. The black dashed line corresponds to the 5% threshold and the red dashed line corresponds to the observed phylogenetic diversity.

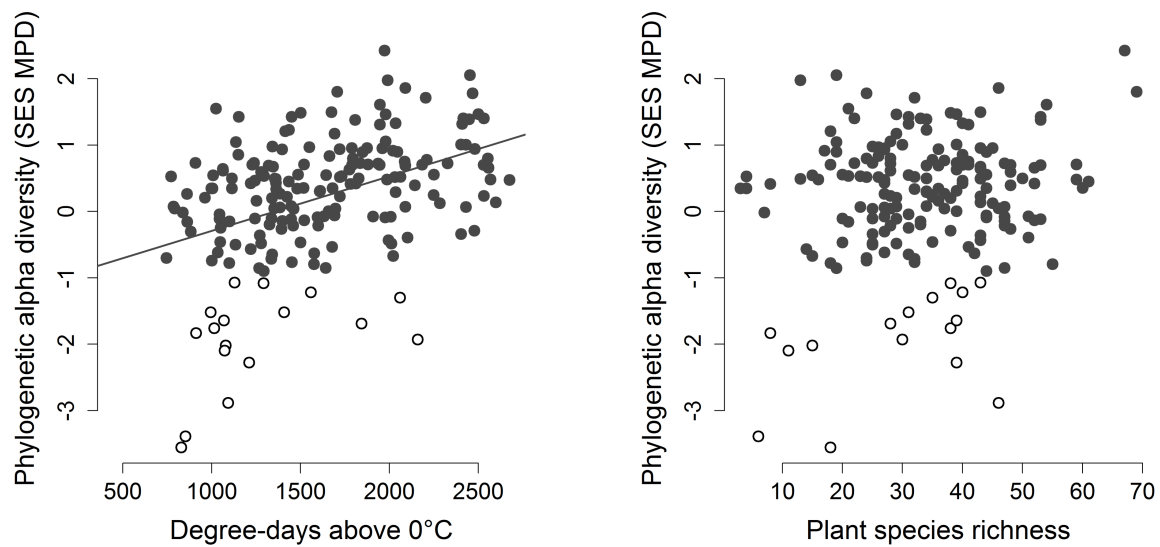


Figure A8. Relationship between the standardised mean phylogenetic distance (SES MPD, equivalent to  $-1 \times \text{NRI}$  or net relatedness index) and degree-days (left) as well as plant species richness (richness). The relationship between SES MPD and degree-days was significant ( $p < 0.0001$  randomization test), but not the residuals with plant species richness.

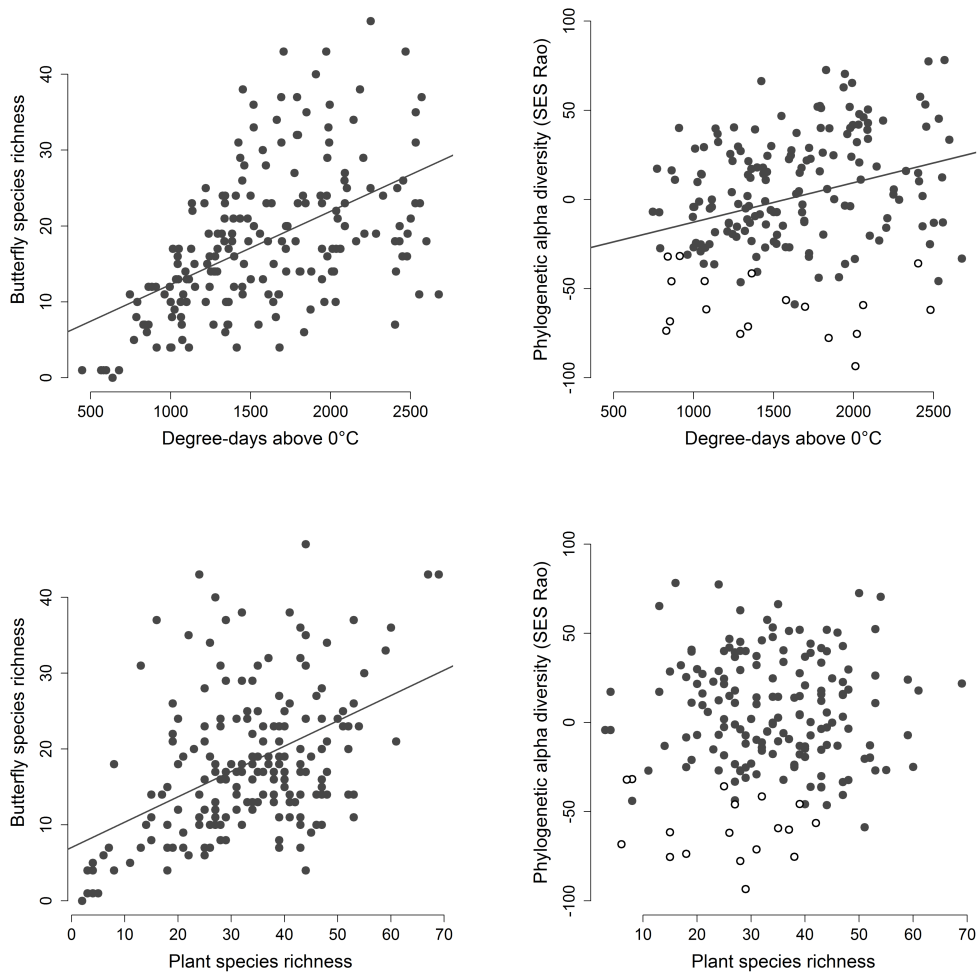


Figure A9. Correlation between degree-days and plant species richness, and butterfly species richness and *SES-Rao* of butterfly phylogenetic diversity calculated using the Bayesian phylogram. Circles represent sampled locations. Empty circles represent significantly clustered communities for that particular variable. The statistical results for  $\alpha$  (*SES-Rao*: DDEG:  $p < 0.0001$ , PLRI:  $p = 0.84$ ) and  $\beta$  (DDEG:  $z = -10.04$ ,  $p < 0.0001$ , PLRI:  $z = 0.795$ ,  $p = 0.43$ ) diversities using the Bayesian non-ultrametric approaches are similar to those obtained with the chronogram in the main manuscript. Because the phylogenetic signal was higher with the chronogram, we presented the results with the chronogram in the main manuscript.

Table A2. Species belonging to Papilionoidea sampled across the 192 plots, with the total number of times observed.

<b>Species</b>	<b>Observations</b>
<b><i>Hesperiidae</i></b>	
<i>Carterocephalus palaemon</i>	18
<i>Erynnis tages</i>	57
<i>Hesperia comma</i>	34
<i>Ochlodes venatus</i>	29
<i>Pyrgus alveus</i>	34
<i>Pyrgus andromedae</i>	10
<i>Pyrgus cacaliae</i>	10
<i>Pyrgus carlinae</i>	1
<i>Pyrgus malvae</i>	23
<i>Pyrgus malvoides</i>	4
<i>Pyrgus serratulae</i>	35
<i>Spialia sertorius</i>	12
<i>Thymelicus lineola</i>	72
<i>Thymelicus sylvestris</i>	31
<b><i>Lycaenidae</i></b>	
<i>Aricia agestis</i>	1
<i>Aricia artaxerxes</i>	45
<i>Aricia eumedon</i>	46
<i>Callophrys rubi</i>	28
<i>Celastrina argiolus</i>	2
<i>Cupido alcetas</i>	1
<i>Cupido minimus</i>	131
<i>Cupido osiris</i>	2
<i>Glaucopsyche alexis</i>	1
<i>Lycaena helle</i>	5
<i>Lycaena hippothoe</i>	35
<i>Lycaena phlaeas</i>	2
<i>Lycaena tityrus</i>	29
<i>Maculinea arion</i>	46
<i>Maculinea nausithous</i>	2
<i>Maculinea rebeli</i>	1
<i>Plebeius glandon</i>	18
<i>Plebeius orbitulus</i>	10
<i>Plebeius argus</i>	20
<i>Plebeius idas</i>	7
<i>Polyommatus damon</i>	27
<i>Polyommatus semiargus</i>	101
<i>Polyommatus bellargus</i>	21
<i>Polyommatus coridon</i>	39
<i>Polyommatus dorylas</i>	9

<i>Polyommatus eros</i>	26
<i>Polyommatus escheri</i>	1
<i>Polyommatus icarus</i>	51
<i>Polyommatus thersites</i>	12

### **Riodinidae**

<i>Hamearis lucina</i>	11
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### **Nymphalidae**

<i>Aglais urticae</i>	166
<i>Apatura iris</i>	1
<i>Argynnis adippe</i>	18
<i>Argynnis aglaja</i>	73
<i>Argynnis niobe</i>	26
<i>Argynnis paphia</i>	9
<i>Boloria dia</i>	6
<i>Boloria euphrosyne</i>	52
<i>Boloria selene</i>	2
<i>Boloria titania</i>	76
<i>Boloria aquilonaris</i>	2
<i>Boloria napaea</i>	40
<i>Boloria pales</i>	70
<i>Brenthis daphne</i>	7
<i>Brenthis ino</i>	17
<i>Euphydryas aurinia</i>	60
<i>Euphydryas cynthias</i>	3
<i>Inachis io</i>	9
<i>Issoria lathonia</i>	8
<i>Limenitis camilla</i>	1
<i>Melitaea athalia</i>	36
<i>Melitaea parthenoides</i>	8
<i>Melitaea cinxia</i>	5
<i>Melitaea diamina</i>	62
<i>Nymphalis antiopa</i>	1
<i>Polygonia c.album</i>	6
<i>Vanessa cardui</i>	56
<i>Vanessa atalanta</i>	28
<i>Aphantopus hyperantus</i>	36
<i>Brintesia circe</i>	3
<i>Coenonympha gardetta</i>	77
<i>Coenonympha pamphilus</i>	47
<i>Erebia aethiops</i>	83
<i>Erebia alberganus</i>	9
<i>Erebia cassioides</i>	12
<i>Erebia epiphron</i>	26
<i>Erebia eriphyle</i>	5
<i>Erebia euryale</i>	40
<i>Erebia gorge</i>	22
<i>Erebia ligea</i>	47
<i>Erebia manto</i>	79

<i>Erebia medusa</i>	6
<i>Erebia melampus</i>	87
<i>Erebia meolans</i>	9
<i>Erebia montana</i>	6
<i>Erebia oeme</i>	77
<i>Erebia pandrose</i>	38
<i>Erebia pharte</i>	57
<i>Erebia pluto</i>	18
<i>Erebia pronoe</i>	22
<i>Erebia tyndarus</i>	28
<i>Erebia mnestra</i>	1
<i>Lasiommata maera</i>	60
<i>Lasiommata megera</i>	5
<i>Lasiommata petropolitana</i>	35
<i>Maniola jurtina</i>	44
<i>Melanargia galathea</i>	31
<i>Oeneis glacialis</i>	4
<i>Pararge aegeria</i>	8
<b><i>Papilionidae</i></b>	
<i>Papilio machaon</i>	86
<i>Parnassius apollo</i>	20
<i>Parnassius mnemosyne</i>	7
<i>Parnassius phoebus</i>	6
<b><i>Pieridae</i></b>	
<i>Anthocharis cardamines</i>	46
<i>Aporia crataegi</i>	58
<i>Colias alfacariensis</i>	20
<i>Colias crocea</i>	20
<i>Colias hyale</i>	9
<i>Colias palaeno</i>	6
<i>Colias phicomone</i>	72
<i>Euchloe simplonia</i>	5
<i>Leptidea reali</i>	7
<i>Leptidea sinapis</i>	5
<i>Pieris brassicae</i>	46
<i>Pieris bryoniae</i>	72
<i>Pieris napi</i>	66
<i>Pieris rapae</i>	70
<i>Pontia callidice</i>	12

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