

# Temporal dynamics of seed-dispersal networks: Disentangling the role of direct and indirect biotic and climatic processes

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## S1 Introduction

This document holds data wrangling operations for formatting plants phenology data from **Ramírez-Mejía et al. Temporal dynamics of seed-dispersal networks: Disentangling the role of direct and indirect biotic and climatic processes**. Specifically, it holds the code for fitting models to estimate richness of fruit producing species and fruit production in seven sites at the O’ahu island, Hawai’i. The document is divided in the following sections:

- Data collection
- Data wrangling operations
- Species richness model
- Fruit production model

## S2 Data collection

### S2.1 Fruiting phenology

Monthly fruit abundances and richness were estimated using seed rain traps placed at each sampling locality: 100 traps in MOA, WAI, and EKA; 150 traps in MTK and PAH; 148 traps in KAH; and 146 traps in TAN. Traps were placed 10 m apart, except in TAN where they were 5 m apart. Each trap had a diameter of 0.243 m and an area of 0.046 m<sup>2</sup> and was covered with chicken wire to deter animals from removing seeds and fruits. Once a month, the cotton cloth at the bottom of the traps was collected, dried, and the seeds were identified under a stereomicroscope. To obtain local abundances, we started by dividing the number of seeds of each species in each trap by the average number of seeds per fruit (estimated from fruits collected in the field) to obtain the number of fruits per trap. We then summed the number of fruits per species across all traps at the site.

We used hierarchical Gaussian processes time series models to estimate the site-level richness of fruiting plants and fruit production at the site  $i$  during month  $j$ . To do so, we modeled the species richness (Poisson, link = log) and fruit production (Student’s  $t$ , link = identity) as a function of the month and site, and included the standardized sampling effort as an offset term to account for variation on the number of seed traps used during each sampling period. For site parameters, we programmed a quadratic kernel to construct the covariance matrix reflecting the spatial correlation across sites, and used a non-centered parametrization through a Cholesky decomposition to estimate the correlated parameters. We accounted for temporal correlation and circularity of month parameters programming a periodic kernel as described above (Appendix S2: section 4.1 and 5.1). For both models, we defined prior

probabilities skeptical of strong effects and executed the HMC algorithm using three Markov chains, 2000 sampling and 500 warmup iterations, and a thinning rate of 3. After verifying sampling diagnostics and the quality of model fits, we used the estimated parameters to impute missing values when we were unable to sample the month  $i$  at the site  $j$ , using as offset term the median standardized sampling effort at the site  $j$ . The estimated species richness and fruit production were used as input variables in our final model. See Appendix S2: section 4–5 for a detailed mathematical version of the models, prior probabilities employed, Stan code, and sampling diagnostic procedures.

### S3 Data wrangling

```
supply(c('dplyr', 'ggplot2', 'lubridate', 'forcats',
         'magrittr', 'cmdstanr', 'rethinking', 'cowplot',
         'readxl', 'patchwork', 'tidyr'),
       library, character.only = T)

extrafont::loadfonts(device = 'win')
source('functions_mod_diagnostics.r')
```

The following code conducts data cleaning operations to prepare both datasets for fitting the species richness and fruit production models

```
d <- read_xlsx('SeedTraps.xlsx', col_names = T, sheet = 1)
d <- d[, c("TrapID", "Site", "Date", "Month", "MonthJef",
          "Year", "Species", "#Seeds", "#seed/#seed per fruit",
          "#fruitsTotal", "TrapTipped", "Dispersed? (Y/N)")]

d <- d[d$TrapTipped != 'Y', ]

d$`#seed/#seed per fruit`[which(d$`#seed/#seed per fruit` == 'NA')] <- 0

d$Date <- d %>% paste(day(Date), MonthJef, Year, sep = '-')
d <- d[-grep('NA', d$Date), ]

d$Date <- dmy(d$Date)

sampling_effort <-
  d[, c("TrapID", "Site", "Date")] |>
  unique() |>
  group_by(Date, Site) |>
  transmute(SampEff = length(TrapID)) |>
  unique()

sampling_effort$month <- month(sampling_effort$Date)

sampling_effort <-
  sampling_effort |>
  group_by(Site, month) |>
  transmute(SampEff = mean(SampEff)) |>
  unique()

d$Species[which(d$`Dispersed? (Y/N)` == 'N' |
```

```

is.na(d$`Dispersed? (Y/N)`))] <- 'NA'

d <-
  d[, c("TrapID", "Site", "Date", "Species",
        "#seed/#seed per fruit", "#fruitsTotal")] |>
  unique()

d$month <- month(d$Date)

d$date2 <- d %$% paste(year(Date), month, sep = '-')

# fruit production data

fruit_abundance <-
  d |>
  group_by(Site, date2) |>
  transmute(abun = sum(`#fruitsTotal`),
            month = month) |>
  ungroup() |>
  group_by(Site, month) |>
  transmute(abun = mean(abun)) |>
  unique()

# richness of fruit production fruits
S_fruiting <-
  d |>
  filter(Species != 'NA') |>
  select(Site, date2, Species, month) |>
  unique() |>
  group_by(Site, date2) |>
  transmute(S = length(Species),
            month = month) |>
  unique() |>
  group_by(Site, month) |>
  transmute(S = mean(S)) |>
  unique()

phenology <- full_join(S_fruiting, fruit_abundance, by = c('Site', 'month'))
phenology <- full_join(phenology, sampling_effort, by = c('Site', 'month'))
phenology$SampEff_std <- phenology$SampEff / mean(phenology$SampEff)
phenology$Site <- as.factor(phenology$Site)

dist_mat <- readRDS('mat_distance_dites.rds')

dat <- lapply(phenology, function(x) x)

dat$Site <- as.numeric(dat$Site)

dat$abun <- log(dat$abun)

dat$dist_sites <- dist_mat

dat$S <- round(dat$S)

dat$N <- length(dat$Site)
dat$N_sites <- max(dat$Site)
dat$N_months <- 12

```

## S4 Species richness model

We used a times series Gaussian processes hierarchical model to estimate species richness of fruiting plants per site and month, from 2014 to 2018.

### S4.1 Mathematic notation of the model

The model uses a *periodic kernel* ( $COV.MAT_{ij} = \sigma_f^2 \cdot \exp(-\frac{2 \cdot \sin^2(\frac{\pi|t_i - t_j|}{period})}{\zeta^2})$ ) to estimate the covariance matrix of the Gaussian processes term to account temporal correlation and circularity among months. We also used a *quadratic kernel* ( $COV.MAT_{ij} = \eta^2 \cdot \exp(-\rho \cdot D_{ij}^2) \cdot \delta_{ij} \cdot 0.01$ ) to estimate the covariance matrix of the Gaussian processes term to account spatial correlation among sites. The model includes an *offset term* consider variation of sampling effort among sites.

$$\begin{aligned}
S_{plants_i} &\sim \text{Poisson}(\lambda_i) \\
\log(\lambda_i) &= \alpha + f_{[site_i, month_i]} + \theta_{site_i} + \log(effort) \\
\alpha &\sim \mathcal{N}(1.5, 0.25) \\
K_{[site, month]}[i, j] &= \sigma_{[site, month]}^2 \cdot \exp(-\frac{2 \cdot \sin^2(\pi|t_i - t_j|/period)}{\zeta_{[site, month]}^2}) \\
K_{[site, month]} &= L_{K_{[site, month]}} \cdot L_{K_{[site, month]}}^T \\
f_{[site, month]} &= L_{K_{[site, month]}} \cdot \eta_{[site, month]} \\
\zeta_{[site, month]} &\sim \text{inv-gamma}(5, 5) \\
\sigma_{[site, month]} &\sim \text{cauchy}(0, 1) \\
\eta_{[site, month]} &\sim \mathcal{N}(1.5, 0.25) \\
K1[i, j] &= \phi^2 \cdot \exp(-\rho^2 \cdot D_{ij}) + \delta_{ij} \cdot 0.01 \\
K1 &= L_{K1} \cdot L_{K1}^T \\
\theta_{site} &= K1 \cdot Z_{site} \\
\phi &\sim \text{Exp}(4) \\
\rho &\sim \text{Exp}(1) \\
Z_{site} &\sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)
\end{aligned}$$

### S4.2 Stan code

```

cat(file = 'S_phenology.stan',
{
  functions {
    vector GP_periodic(int period,    // periodicity
                      real gamma,    // smoothing term of the GP
                      real sigma,    // noise parameter of the GP
                      vector eta){   // latent variable per month

      int M = period;
      matrix[M, M] K;
      matrix[M, M] L_K;

      for (i in 1:(M-1)) {
        for (j in (i+1):M) {

          real distance = abs(i - j);
          real periodic_distance = fmin(distance, period - distance);
          K[i, j] = sigma^2 * exp(-2*square(sin(pi()*periodic_distance/period))/gamma^2);
          K[j, i] = K[i, j]; // filling the lower triangle
        }
        K[i, i] = sigma^2 + 1e-9; // small values at the diagonal for stability
      }

      K[M, M] = sigma^2 + 1e-9; // small values at the beginning and end of the matrix
      return(cholesky_decompose(K) * eta);
    }

    matrix GP_quadratic(matrix x,
                      real eta,
                      real rho,
                      real delta) {

      int N = dims(x)[1];
      matrix[N, N] K;
      matrix[N, N] L_K;

      for (i in 1:(N-1)) {
        K[i, i] = eta + delta; // small values to the diagonal
        for (j in (i+1):N) {
          K[i, j] = eta * exp(-rho * square(x[i, j]));
          K[j, i] = K[i, j]; // filling low triangle
        }
      }

      K[N, N] = eta + delta;
      L_K = cholesky_decompose(K);
      return L_K;
    }
  }

  data {
    int N;
    int N_sites;
    int N_months;
    array[N] int Site;
    array[N] int month;
    array[N] int S;
    vector[N] abund;
    vector[N] SampEff_std;
    matrix[N_sites, N_sites] dist_sites;
  }

  parameters {
    real alpha;
    //real<lower = 0> sigma;
  }
}

```

```

// periodic GP
vector<lower = 0>[N_sites] gamma_f;
vector<lower = 0>[N_sites] sigma_f;
matrix[N_months, N_sites] eta_f;

// Quadratic GP
vector[N_sites] z_sites;
real<lower = 0> eta;
real<lower = 0> rho;
}

transformed parameters {
  // periodic GP
  matrix[N_months, N_sites] f;

  for (i in 1:N_sites) {
    f[, i] = GP_periodic(
      12,
      gamma_f[i],
      sigma_f[i],
      eta_f[,i]
    );
  }

  // Quadratic GP

  vector[N_sites] theta;
  matrix[N_sites, N_sites] L_K_theta;
  L_K_theta = GP_quadratic(dist_sites,
                           eta,
                           rho,
                           0.001);
  theta = L_K_theta * z_sites;
}

model {
  alpha ~ normal(1.5, 0.25);
  //sigma ~ exponential(1);

  to_vector(eta_f) ~ normal(1.5, 0.25);
  gamma_f ~ inv_gamma(5, 5);
  sigma_f ~ cauchy(0, 1);

  z_sites ~ normal(0, 1);
  eta ~ exponential(4);
  rho ~ exponential(1);

  // likelihood
  for (i in 1:N) {
    S[i] ~ poisson(exp(alpha + f[month[i], Site[i]] +
                        theta[Site[i]] + log(SampEff_std[i])));
  }
}

generated quantities {
  vector[N] mu;
  array[N] int ppcheck;

  for (i in 1:N) {
    mu[i] = exp(alpha + f[month[i], Site[i]] + theta[Site[i]]) .*SampEff_std[i];
  }
  ppcheck = poisson_rng(mu);
}

')

```

### S4.3 Fitting the model

```
file <- paste0(getwd(), '/S_phenology.stan')
fit_S <- cmdstan_model(file, compile = T)
```

```
Warning in readLines(stan_file): incomplete final line found on
'/Users/andres/Documents/github_repos/HAWAII_temporal_dynamics_NETWORK_LEVEL/S_phenology.stan'
```

```
mod_S <-  
  fit_S$sample(  
    data = dat,  
    iter_sampling = 2e3,  
    iter_warmup = 500,  
    chains = 3,  
    parallel_chains = 3,  
    thin = 3,  
    seed = 5  
  )
```

Running MCMC with 3 parallel chains...

Chain 1 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 1 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reason(s):

```
Chain 1 Exception: Exception: cholesky_decompose: A is not symmetric. A[1,2] = nan, but A[2,
```

Chain 1 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types like

Chain 1 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-conditioned

Chain 1

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Chain 1

Chain 1 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reasons:

Chain 1 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: A is not symmetric. A[1,2] = nan, but A[2,1] = 1.0

Chain 1 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types like integers or floats bounded away from zero and infinity, the sampler might perform poorly and the autocorrelation in the trace will be high (you may need to increase the number of samples). If this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-conditioned or diverging.

Chain 1 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-conditioned or diverging.

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Chain 1 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reasons:

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Chain 1

Chain 2 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 2 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reasons:

Chain 2 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

Chain 2 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types 1.

Chain 2 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-condition

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Chain 2 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

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Chain 2 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-condition

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Chain 3 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 3 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because

Chain 3 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

Chain 3 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types 1.

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Chain 3 Iteration: 100 / 2500 [ 4%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 100 / 2500 [ 4%] (Warmup)
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Chain 2 Iteration: 200 / 2500 [ 8%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 200 / 2500 [ 8%] (Warmup)
Chain 1 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [12%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [12%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [12%] (Warmup)
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Chain 2 Iteration: 400 / 2500 [16%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 400 / 2500 [16%] (Warmup)
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Chain 1 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [20%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 500 / 2500 [20%] (Warmup)
Chain 2 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [20%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [24%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 500 / 2500 [20%] (Warmup)
Chain 3 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [20%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [28%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [24%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [32%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [24%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [36%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [28%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [40%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [28%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [44%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [32%] (Sampling)
```

Chain 3 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [ 32%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [ 36%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [ 36%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [ 40%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [ 40%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [ 44%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [ 44%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 finished in 7.2 seconds.  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)

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Chain 3 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 finished in 11.8 seconds.
Chain 3 finished in 11.8 seconds.
```

```
All 3 chains finished successfully.
Mean chain execution time: 10.3 seconds.
Total execution time: 12.0 seconds.
```

```
Warning: 3 of 2001 (0.0%) transitions ended with a divergence.
See https://mc-stan.org/misc/warnings for details.
```

## S4.4 Sampling diagnostics

```
summary_S <- mod_S$summary()
mod_diagnostics(mod_S, summary_S)
```

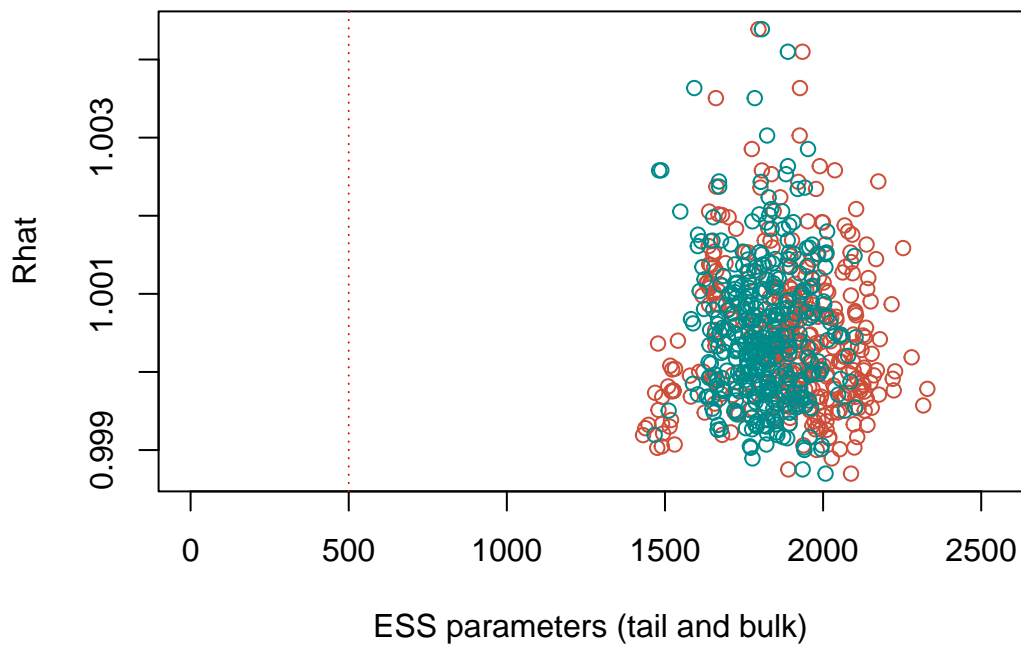


Figure S1: Rhat values vs effective sampling size (ess). Rhat < 1.05 indicates that the Markov Chains converged to the same stationary distribution. ess must be at least 100 per chain in order to be reliable

```
ppcheck_S <- mod_S$draws('ppcheck', format = 'matrix')
plot(density(dat$S), ylim = c(0, 0.20), xlim = c(-2, 20),
      xlab = 'S (fruiting plants)', main = '')
for (i in 1:200) lines(density(ppcheck_S[i, ]), lwd = 0.1)
lines(density(dat$S), col = 'red', lwd = 2)
```

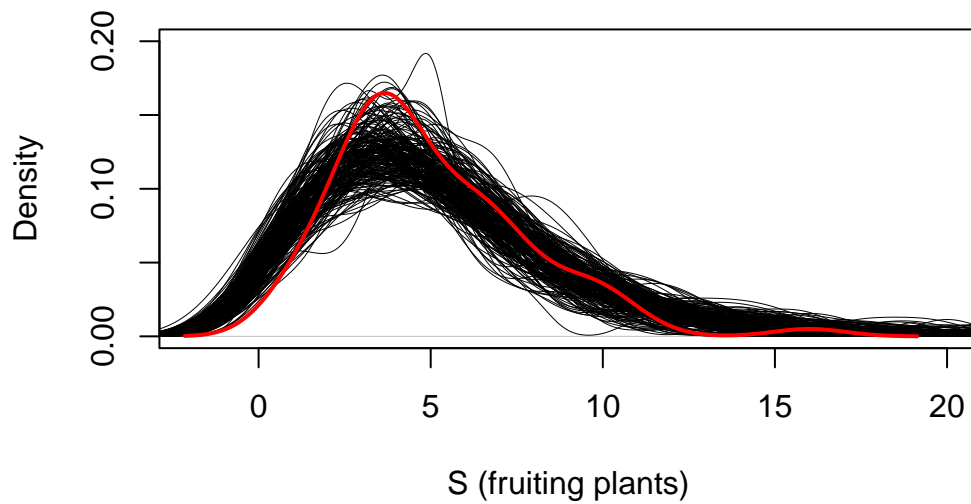


Figure S2: Posterior predictive checks of the model describing monthly average plant richness producing fruits in seven sites in the Oahu island.

## S4.5 Extracting posterior distribution

This code extract the posterior distributions and use the model's structure to estimate monthly species richness per site. It shows observed and imputed values.

```
mu_S <- mod_S$draws('mu', format = 'df')
mu_S <- mu_S[, grep('mu', colnames(mu_S))]
```

Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.

```
mu_S <- lapply(mu_S, FUN =
  function(x) {
    tibble(mu = mean(x),
           li = quantile(x, 0.025),
           ls = quantile(x, 0.975))
  })
mu_S <- do.call('rbind', mu_S)
colnames(mu_S) <- paste0('S_', colnames(mu_S))
phenology <- cbind(phenology, mu_S)
```

```

phenology$date <- dmy(paste0('01-', phenology$month, '-2025'))

inter_data <- readRDS('data_for_models.rds')
inter_data <- unique(inter_data[, c("site2", "month")])
inter_data$cod <- inter_data %$% paste0(site2, '_', month)

phenology$cod <- phenology %$% paste0(Site, '_', month)

impute_dates <- !(inter_data$cod %in% phenology$cod)

inter_data$site2 <- as.factor(inter_data$site2)
inter_data$site <- as.numeric(inter_data$site2)

post_S <- mod_S$draws(c('alpha', 'f', 'theta'), format = 'df')
post_S <- lapply(c('alpha', 'f', 'theta'), FUN =
  function(x) {
    post_S[, grep(x, colnames(post_S))]
  })

```

Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.  
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```

names(post_S) <- c('alpha', 'f', 'theta')

pred_S <-
  lapply(1:7, FUN =
    function(i) {
      indx <- which(i == dat$Site)[1]
      S <- phenology$Site[indx]

      site <-
        lapply(1:12, FUN =
          function(j) {
            GP <- paste0('f[', j, ',', i, ']')
            t <- paste0('theta[', i, ',', j, ']')

            cod <- paste0(S, '_', j)
            indx_SEff <- which(cod == phenology$cod)
            indx_months <- which(i == phenology$month)

            est <-
              with(post_S,
                {
                  alpha[, 1, drop = T] +
                    f[, GP, drop = T] +
                    theta[, t, drop = T]
                })

            if (length(indx_SEff) > 0) {
              est <- exp(est) * dat$SampEff_std[indx_SEff]
            } else {
              est <- exp(est) * median(dat$SampEff_std[indx_months])
            }

            est <-
              tibble(Site = i,
                date = dmy(paste0('01-', j, '-2025')),
                S_mu = sample(est, 1e3))
            est
          })
    })

```



```

    })

    site <- do.call('rbind', site)

    site$Site <- S
    site
  })

pred_S <- do.call('rbind', pred_S)

pred_S$z_s <- (pred_S$S_mu - mean(dat$S)) / sd(dat$S)

est_S <-
  lapply(1:7, FUN =
    function(i) {

      indx <- which(i == dat$Site)[1]
      S <- phenology$Site[indx]

      site <-
        lapply(1:12, FUN =
          function(j) {

            GP <- paste0('f[', j, ',', i, ']')
            t <- paste0('theta[', i, ']')

            cod <- paste0(S, '-', j)
            indx_SEff <- which(cod == phenology$cod)
            indx_months <- which(i == phenology$month)

            est <-
              with(post_S,
                {
                  alpha[, 1, drop = T] +
                    f[, GP, drop = T] +
                    theta[, t, drop = T]
                })

            if (length(indx_SEff) > 0) {
              est <- exp(est) * dat$SampEff_std[indx_SEff]
            } else {
              est <- exp(est) * median(dat$SampEff_std[indx_months])
            }

            est <-
              tibble(Site = i,
                date = dmy(paste0('01-', j, '-2025')),
                S_mu = mean(est),
                S_li = quantile(est, 0.025),
                S_ls = quantile(est, 0.975))

            est
          })

      site <- do.call('rbind', site)

      site$Site <- S
      site
    })

est_S <- do.call('rbind', est_S)

```

## S4.6 Plotting posterior distribution

```
ggplot() +
  geom_line(data = phenology, aes(date, S_mu, color = 'No imputation')) +
  geom_point(data = phenology, aes(date, S_mu, color = 'No imputation'),
    size = 1.5) +
  geom_ribbon(data = phenology,
    aes(date, S_mu, ymin = S_li, ymax = S_ls,
      fill = 'No imputation'),
    alpha = 0.3) +
  geom_line(data = est_S, aes(date, S_mu, color = 'Imputation', lwd = 0.1)) +
  geom_point(data = est_S, aes(date, S_mu, color = 'Imputation'), size = 0.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = est_S,
    aes(date, S_mu, ymin = S_li, ymax = S_ls, fill = 'Imputation'),
    alpha = 0.3) +
  scale_x_date(date_labels = '%b', date_breaks = '2 month') +
  facet_wrap(~Site) +
  labs(y = 'S (fruiting plants)') +
  theme_bw()
```

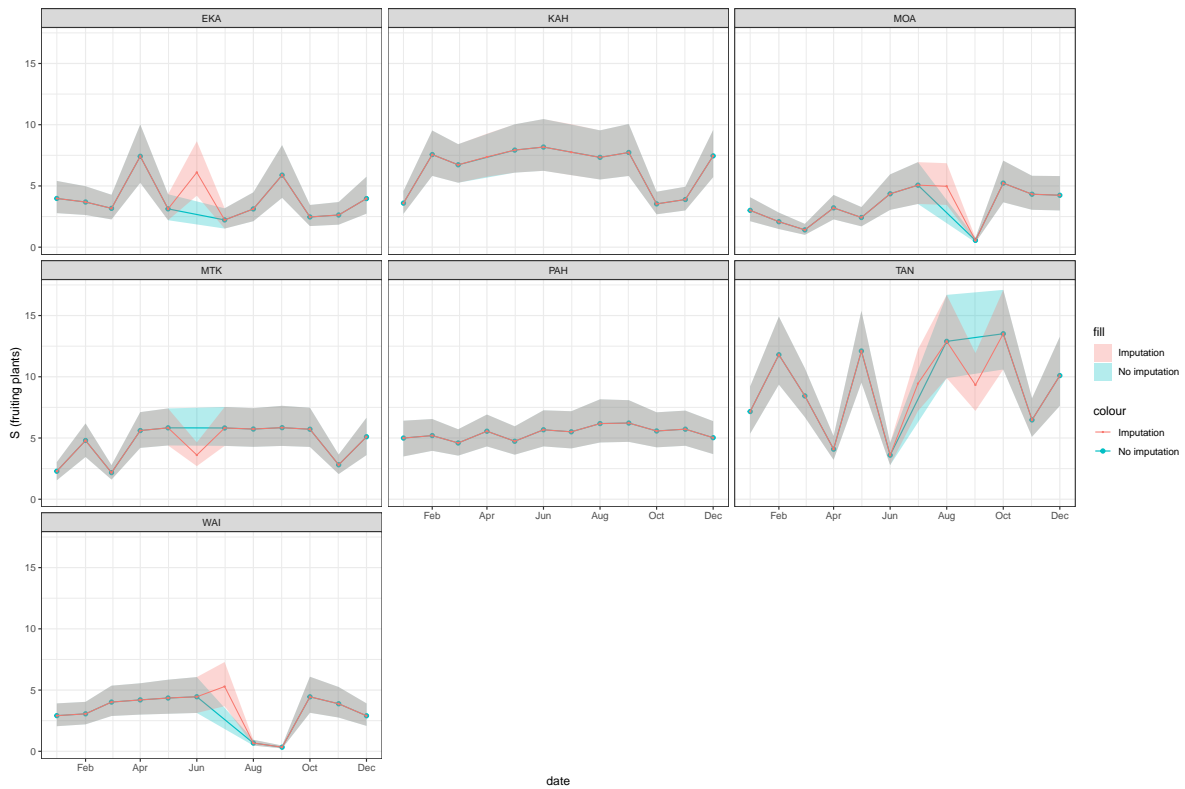


Figure S3: Monthly species richness of fruiting plants in seven sites at the Oahu island. Non-overlapped red dots indicates imputed months

## S5 Fruit production

We used a times series Gaussian processes hierarchical model to estimate average fruit production per site and month, from 2014 to 2018.

### S5.1 Mathematic notation of the model

The model uses a *periodic kernel* ( $COV.MAT_{ij} = \sigma_f^2 \cdot \exp(-\frac{2 \cdot \sin^2(\frac{\pi|t_i - t_j|}{period})}{\zeta^2})$ ) to estimate the covariance matrix of the Gaussian processes term to account temporal correlation and circularity among months. We also used a *quadratic kernel* ( $COV.MAT_{ij} = \eta^2 \cdot \exp(-\rho \cdot D_{ij}^2) \cdot \delta_{ij} \cdot 0.01$ ) to estimate the covariance matrix of the Gaussian processes term to account spatial correlation among sites. The model includes an *offset term* consider variation of sampling effort among sites.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{fruit production}_i &\sim \text{Student-T}(\nu = 6, \mu_i, \sigma) \\ \mu_i &= \alpha + f_{[site_i, month_i]} + \theta_{site} + \text{effort} \\ \alpha &\sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1) \\ K_{[site, month]}[i, j] &= \sigma_{[site, month]}^2 \cdot \exp(-\frac{2 \cdot \sin^2(\pi|t_i - t_j|/period)}{\zeta_{[site, month]}^2}) \\ K_{[site, month]} &= L_{K_{[site, month]}} \cdot L_{K_{[site, month]}}^T \\ f_{[site, month]} &= L_{K_{[site, month]}} \cdot \eta_{[site, month]} \\ \zeta_{[site, month]} &\sim \text{inv-gamma}(5, 5) \\ \sigma_{[site, month]} &\sim \text{cauchy}(0, 1) \\ \eta_{[site, month]} &\sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1) \\ K1_{[i, j]} &= \phi^2 \cdot \exp(-\rho^2 \cdot D_{ij}) + \delta_{i, j} \cdot 0.01 \\ K1 &= L_{K1} \cdot L_{K1}^T \\ \theta_{site} &= L_{K1} \cdot Z_{site} \\ \phi &\sim \exp(4) \\ \rho &\sim \exp(1) \\ Z_{site} &\sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1) \end{aligned}$$

### S5.2 Stan code

```

cat(file = 'abun_phenology.stan',
{
  functions {
    vector GP_periodic(int period,    // periodicity
                      real gamma,    // smoothing term of the GP
                      real sigma,    // noise parameter of the GP
                      vector eta){   // latent variable per month

      int M = period;
      matrix[M, M] K;
      matrix[M, M] L_K;

      for (i in 1:(M-1)) {
        for (j in (i+1):M) {

          real distance = abs(i - j);
          real periodic_distance = fmin(distance, period - distance);
          K[i, j] = sigma^2 * exp(-2*square(sin(pi()*periodic_distance/period))/gamma^2);
          K[j, i] = K[i, j]; // filling the lower triangle
        }
        K[i, i] = sigma^2 + 1e-9; // small values at the diagonal for stability
      }

      K[M, M] = sigma^2 + 1e-9; // small values at the beginning and end of the matrix
      return(cholesky_decompose(K) * eta);
    }

    matrix GP_quadratic(matrix x,
                      real eta,
                      real rho,
                      real delta) {

      int N = dims(x)[1];
      matrix[N, N] K;
      matrix[N, N] L_K;

      for (i in 1:(N-1)) {
        K[i, i] = eta + delta; // small values to the diagonal
        for (j in (i+1):N) {
          K[i, j] = eta * exp(-rho * square(x[i, j]));
          K[j, i] = K[i, j]; // filling low triangle
        }
      }

      K[N, N] = eta + delta;
      L_K = cholesky_decompose(K);
      return L_K;
    }
  }

  data {
    int N;
    int N_sites;
    int N_months;
    array[N] int Site;
    array[N] int month;
    array[N] int S;
    vector[N] abun;
    vector[N] SampEff_std;
    matrix[N_sites, N_sites] dist_sites;
  }

  parameters {
    real alpha;
    real<lower = 0> sigma;
  }
}

```

```

// periodic GP
vector<lower = 0>[N_sites] gamma_f;
vector<lower = 0>[N_sites] sigma_f;
matrix[N_months, N_sites] eta_f;

// Quadratic GP
vector[N_sites] z_sites;
real<lower = 0> eta;
real<lower = 0> rho;
}

transformed parameters {
  // periodic GP
  matrix[N_months, N_sites] f;

  for (i in 1:N_sites) {
    f[, i] = GP_periodic(
      12,
      gamma_f[i],
      sigma_f[i],
      eta_f[,i]
    );
  }

  // Quadratic GP
  vector[N_sites] theta;
  matrix[N_sites, N_sites] L_K_theta;
  L_K_theta = GP_quadratic(dist_sites,
    eta,
    rho,
    0.001);
  theta = L_K_theta * z_sites;
}

model {
  alpha ~ normal(0, 1);
  sigma ~ exponential(1);

  to_vector(eta_f) ~ normal(0, 0.5);
  gamma_f ~ inv_gamma(5, 5);
  sigma_f ~ cauchy(0, 1);

  z_sites ~ normal(0, 1);
  eta ~ exponential(4);
  rho ~ exponential(1);

  // likelihood
  for (i in 1:N) {
    abund[i] ~ student_t(6, alpha + f[month[i], Site[i]] +
      theta[Site[i]] + SampEff_std[i],
      sigma);
  }
}

generated quantities {
  vector[N] mu;
  array[N] real ppcheck;

  for (i in 1:N) {
    mu[i] = alpha + f[month[i], Site[i]] +
      theta[Site[i]] + SampEff_std[i];
  }
  ppcheck = student_t_rng(7, mu, sigma);
}

```

```
}  
  
' )
```

### S5.3 Fitting the model

```
dat$abun <- as.vector(scale(dat$abun))  
file <- paste0(getwd(), '/abun_phenology.stan')  
fit_ABU <- cmdstan_model(file, compile = T)
```

Warning in readLines(stan\_file): incomplete final line found on  
'/Users/andres/Documents/github\_repos/HAWAII\_temporal\_dynamics\_NETWORK\_LEVEL/abun\_phenology.stan'

```
mod_ABU <-  
  fit_ABU$sample(  
    data = dat,  
    iter_sampling = 2e3,  
    iter_warmup = 500,  
    chains = 3,  
    parallel_chains = 3,  
    thin = 3,  
    seed = 5  
  )
```

Running MCMC with 3 parallel chains...

Chain 1 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 1 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reasons:

Chain 1 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var/folders/.../R/RStudio/rstan/.../stanlib/.../src/cholesky\_decompose.cpp')

Chain 1 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types like integer, it is usually not a problem. It will only become a problem if it occurs often, and then your model may be either severely ill-conditioned or misspecified.

Chain 1 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-conditioned or misspecified.

Chain 1

Chain 2 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 2 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because of the following reasons:

Chain 2 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

Chain 2 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types l

Chain 2 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-condition

Chain 2

Chain 2 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because

Chain 2 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

Chain 2 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types l

Chain 2 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-condition

Chain 2

Chain 3 Iteration: 1 / 2500 [ 0%] (Warmup)

Chain 3 Informational Message: The current Metropolis proposal is about to be rejected because

Chain 3 Exception: Exception: cholesky\_decompose: Matrix m is not positive definite (in '/var

Chain 3 If this warning occurs sporadically, such as for highly constrained variable types l

Chain 3 but if this warning occurs often then your model may be either severely ill-condition

Chain 3

Chain 1 Iteration: 100 / 2500 [ 4%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 100 / 2500 [ 4%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 100 / 2500 [ 4%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 200 / 2500 [ 8%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 200 / 2500 [ 8%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 200 / 2500 [ 8%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [ 12%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [ 12%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 300 / 2500 [ 12%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 400 / 2500 [ 16%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 400 / 2500 [ 16%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 400 / 2500 [ 16%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 500 / 2500 [ 20%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [ 20%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 500 / 2500 [ 20%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [ 20%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 500 / 2500 [ 20%] (Warmup)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 501 / 2500 [ 20%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [ 24%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [ 24%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 600 / 2500 [ 24%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [ 28%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [ 28%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [ 32%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 700 / 2500 [ 28%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [ 36%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [ 32%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 800 / 2500 [ 32%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [ 40%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [ 36%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [ 44%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 900 / 2500 [ 36%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [ 40%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1000 / 2500 [ 40%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [ 44%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1100 / 2500 [ 44%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 1 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 3 Iteration: 1200 / 2500 [ 48%] (Sampling)  
 Chain 2 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)



```

Chain 1 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1300 / 2500 [ 52%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1400 / 2500 [ 56%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1500 / 2500 [ 60%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1600 / 2500 [ 64%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1700 / 2500 [ 68%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 1800 / 2500 [ 72%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 2 finished in 9.8 seconds.
Chain 3 Iteration: 1900 / 2500 [ 76%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2000 / 2500 [ 80%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2100 / 2500 [ 84%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2200 / 2500 [ 88%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2300 / 2500 [ 92%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 Iteration: 2400 / 2500 [ 96%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 1 finished in 12.9 seconds.
Chain 3 Iteration: 2500 / 2500 [100%] (Sampling)
Chain 3 finished in 13.0 seconds.

```

All 3 chains finished successfully.  
 Mean chain execution time: 11.9 seconds.  
 Total execution time: 13.1 seconds.

## S5.4 Sampling diagnostics

```
summary_ABU <- mod_ABU$summary()
mod_diagnostics(mod_ABU, summary_ABU)
```

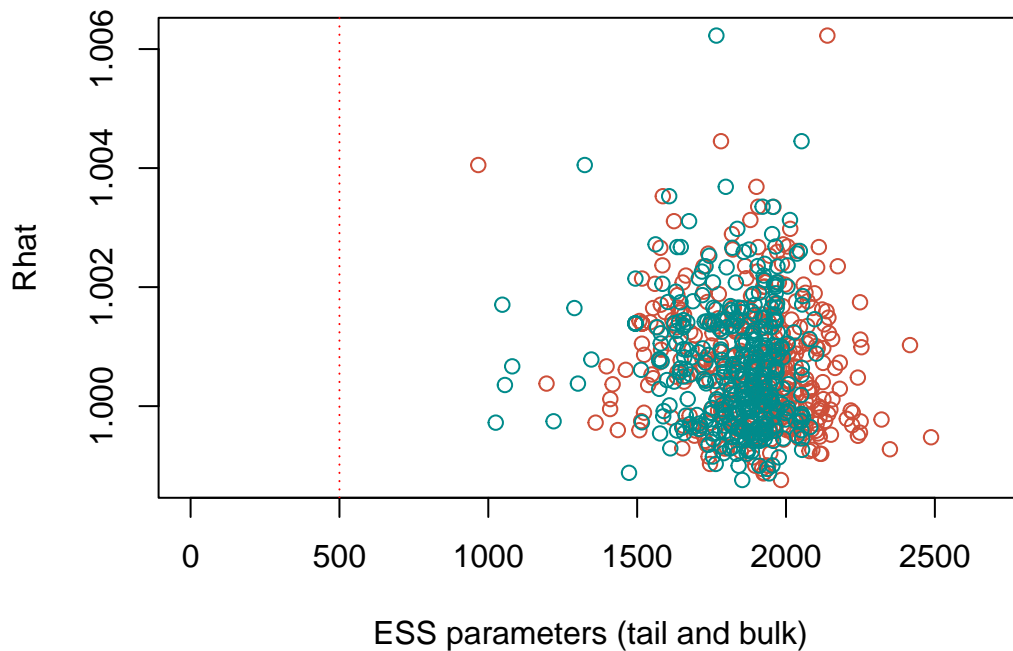


Figure S4: Rhat values vs effective sampling size (ess).  $Rhat < 1.05$  indicates that the Markov Chains converged to the same stationary distribution. ess must be at least 100 per chain in order to be reliable

```
ppcheck_ABU <- mod_ABU$draws('ppcheck', format = 'matrix')
plot(density(dat$abun), ylim = c(0, 0.6), xlim = c(-5, 5),
      xlab = 'Fruit abundance', main = '')
for (i in 1:200) lines(density(ppcheck_ABU[i, ]), lwd = 0.1)
lines(density(dat$abun), col = 'red', lwd = 2)
```

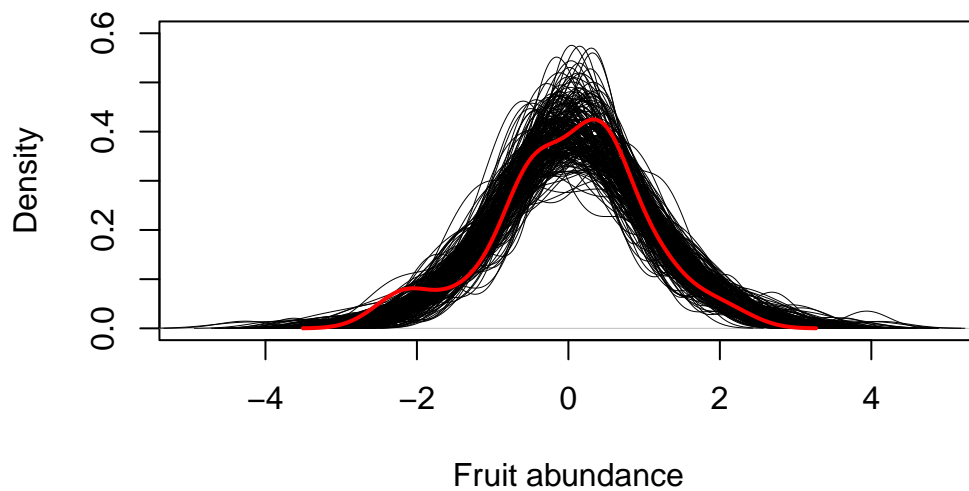


Figure S5: Posterior predictive checks of the model describing monthly average fruit production in seven sites in the Oahu island.

### S5.5 Extracting posterior distribution

This code extract the posterior distributions and use the model's structure to estimate monthly fruit production per site. It shows observed and imputed values.

```
mu_ABU <- mod_ABU$draws('mu', format = 'df')
mu_ABU <- mu_ABU[, grep('mu', colnames(mu_ABU))]
```

Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.

```
mu_ABU <- lapply(mu_ABU, FUN =
  function(x) {
    tibble(mu = mean(x),
           li = quantile(x, 0.025),
           ls = quantile(x, 0.975))
  })
mu_ABU <- do.call('rbind', mu_ABU)
colnames(mu_ABU) <- paste0('ABU_', colnames(mu_ABU))
phenology <- cbind(phenology, mu_ABU)
```

```

post_ABU <- mod_ABU$draws(c('alpha', 'f', 'theta'), format = 'df')
post_ABU <- lapply(c('alpha', 'f', 'theta'), FUN =
  function(x) {
    post_ABU[, grep(x, colnames(post_ABU))]
  })

```

Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.  
Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.  
Warning: Dropping 'draws\_df' class as required metadata was removed.

```

names(post_ABU) <- c('alpha', 'f', 'theta')
pred_ABU <-
  lapply(1:7, FUN =
    function(i) {
      indx <- which(i == dat$Site)[1]
      S <- phenology$Site[indx]

      site <-
        lapply(1:12, FUN =
          function(j) {
            GP <- paste0('f[, j, ', i, ' ]')
            t <- paste0('theta[, i, ' ]')

            cod <- paste0(S, ' ', j)
            indx_SEff <- which(cod == phenology$cod)
            indx_months <- which(i == phenology$month)

            est <-
              with(post_ABU,
                {
                  alpha[, 1, drop = T] +
                    f[, GP, drop = T] +
                    theta[, t, drop = T]
                })

            if (length(indx_SEff) > 0) {
              est <- est + dat$SampEff_std[indx_SEff]
            } else {
              est <- est + median(dat$SampEff_std[indx_months])
            }

            est <-
              tibble(Site = i,
                    date = dmy(paste0('01-', j, '-2025')),
                    ABU_mu = sample(est, 1e3))

            est
          })

      site <- do.call('rbind', site)

      site$Site <- S
      site
    })

pred_ABU <- do.call('rbind', pred_ABU)

est_ABU <-
  lapply(1:7, FUN =
    function(i) {

```

```

indx <- which(i == dat$Site)[1]
S <- phenology$Site[indx]

site <-
  lapply(1:12, FUN =
    function(j) {

      GP <- paste0('f[, j, ', i, ' ]')
      t <- paste0('theta[, i, ' ]')

      cod <- paste0(S, ' ', j)
      indx_SEff <- which(cod == phenology$cod)
      indx_months <- which(i == phenology$month)

      est <-
        with(post_ABU,
          {
            alpha[, 1, drop = T] +
              f[, GP, drop = T] +
              theta[, t, drop = T]
          })

      if (length(indx_SEff) > 0) {
        est <- est + dat$SampEff_std[indx_SEff]
      } else {
        est <- est + median(dat$SampEff_std[indx_months])
      }

      est <-
        tibble(Site = i,
          date = dmy(paste0('01-', j, '-2025')),
          ABU_mu = mean(est),
          ABU_li = quantile(est, 0.025),
          ABU_ls = quantile(est, 0.975))

      est
    })

site <- do.call('rbind', site)

site$Site <- S
site
})

est_ABU <- do.call('rbind', est_ABU)

```

## S5.6 Plotting posterior distribution

```

ggplot() +
  geom_line(data = phenology, aes(date, ABU_mu, color = 'No imputation')) +
  geom_point(data = phenology, aes(date, ABU_mu, color = 'No imputation'),
    size = 1.5) +
  geom_ribbon(data = phenology,
    aes(date, ABU_mu, ymin = ABU_li, ymax = ABU_ls,
      fill = 'No imputation'),
    alpha = 0.3) +
  geom_line(data = est_ABU, aes(date, ABU_mu, color = 'Imputation'), lwd = 0.1) +
  geom_point(data = est_ABU, aes(date, ABU_mu, color = 'Imputation'), size = 0.2) +
  geom_ribbon(data = est_ABU,
    aes(date, ABU_mu, ymin = ABU_li, ymax = ABU_ls, fill = 'Imputation'),
    alpha = 0.3) +
  scale_x_date(date_labels = '%b', date_breaks = '2 month') +

```

```
facet_wrap(~Site) +
labs(y = 'Fruit abundance') +
theme_bw()
```

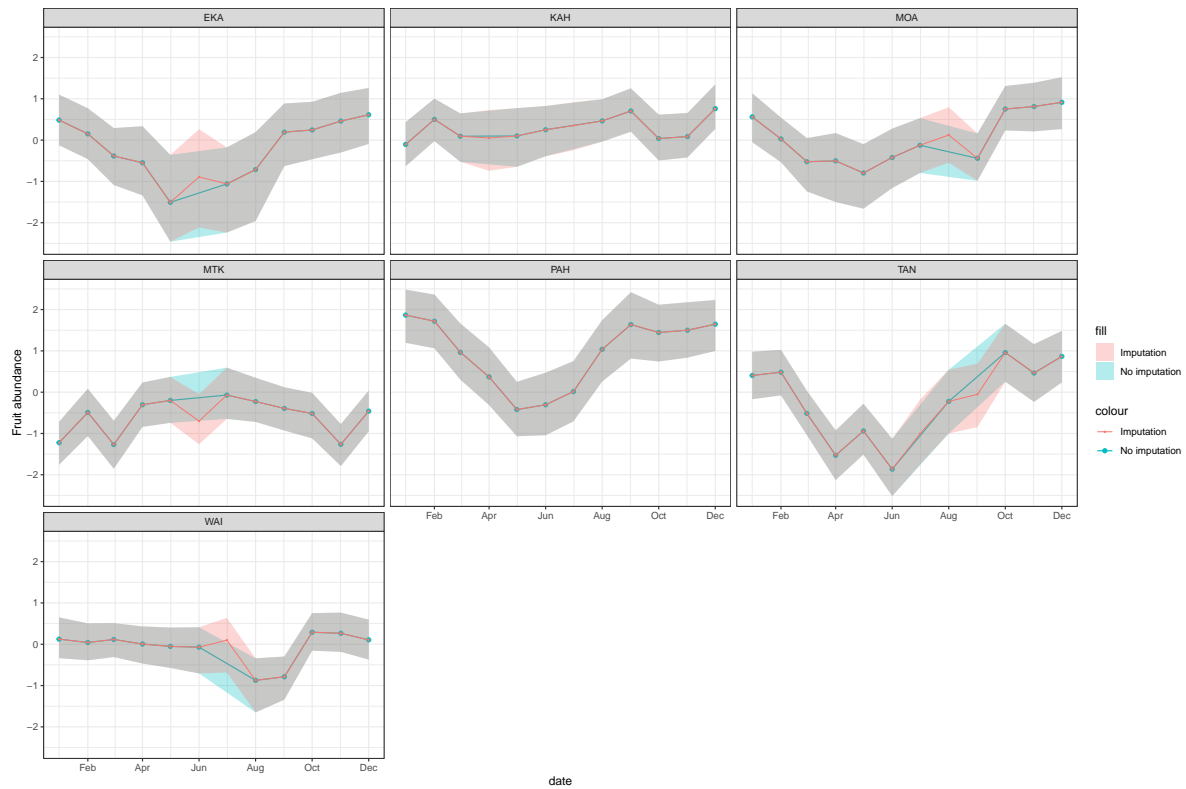


Figure S6: Monthly species richness of fruiting plants in seven sites at the Oahu island. Non-overlapped red dots indicates imputed months

```
est_ABU$month <- month(est_ABU$date)
est_S$month <- month(est_S$date)

# data for global models

# saveRDS(list(abun_phenology = est_ABU,
#             S_phenology = est_S), 'phenology_data.rds')
#
#
# saveRDS(list(abun_phenology = pred_ABU,
#             S_phenology = pred_S), 'phenology_data_PREDICTED.rds')
```

## S6 Computational environment

```
sessionInfo()
```

```
R version 4.5.1 (2025-06-13)
Platform: aarch64-apple-darwin20
Running under: macOS Sequoia 15.5
```

```
Matrix products: default
```

```
BLAS: /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.5-arm64/Resources/lib/libRblas.0.dylib
```

```
LAPACK: /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/4.5-arm64/Resources/lib/libRlapack.dylib;
```

```
locale:
```

```
[1] en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/C/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8
```

```
time zone: America/Sao_Paulo
```

```
tzcode source: internal
```

```
attached base packages:
```

```
[1] parallel stats graphics grDevices utils datasets methods
```

```
[8] base
```

```
other attached packages:
```

```
[1] tidyr_1.3.1 patchwork_1.3.1 readxl_1.4.5
[4] cowplot_1.2.0 rethinking_2.42 posterior_1.6.1
[7] cmdstanr_0.9.0.9000 magrittr_2.0.3 forcats_1.0.0
[10] lubridate_1.9.4 ggplot2_3.5.2 dplyr_1.1.4
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