R-code for 'Effect individual and maternal inbreeding on pup early development'

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This document contains all the R code used in the workflow for the manuscript No evidence for inbreeding depression for birth mass, growth and survival in Antarctic fur seal pups by Anneke J. Paijmans, Ane Liv Bertholdson, Rebecca Nagel, Felicitas Cristaller, Nicole Kröcker, Jaume Forcada, and Joseph I. Hoffman. The R Markdown file and the raw data can all be downloaded via Zenodo, LINK. Additional scrips are available on Github, LINK. Please, don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions: a.paijmans[@]unibielefeld.de.

Packages and libraries

[CHECK LATER IF ALL ARE NECESSARY/INCLUDED!]

```
packages <- c("here",
               "readxl",
              "tidyverse",
              "inbreedR".
              "lme4",
              "lmerTest",
              "DHARMa",
              "sjPlot",
               "cowplot",
               "ggtext",
              "nlme",
               "car",
               "AICcmodavg",
               "data.table",
               "rcartocolor",
               "dotwhisker",
               "merDeriv")
# # Install packages needed not yet installed
# installed_packages <- packages %in% rownames(installed.packages())</pre>
    if (any(installed packages == FALSE)) {
    install.packages(packages[!installed_packages])
#
    }
# Load packages
invisible(lapply(packages, library, character.only = TRUE))
```

Microsatellite dataset

Before starting the analysis, mother-pup pairs were checked for genetic matching using the excel NEWPAT macro (REF). The genotypes of pairs with a maximum of 3 mismatching loci were visually inspected. If a scoring mistake was identified, the genotype was corrected. The maternity analysis was then rerun on the updated microsatellite data. Mother-pup pairs with fewer than 2 mismatching loci were considered a genetic match.

Preparing the files for the maternity analysis and postprocessing of the results were done in separate R scripts. These scripts and the NEWPAT excel macro files can be found on github **LINK**.

First, we load the fitness data including the results of the maternity analysis, and the microsatellite data for all our individuals in two separate dataframes.

Genotypes with more than 4 missing loci out of 39 were removed.

```
# Keep only individuals genotyped for all 39 loci, with a maximum of 4 missing loci
msats_all <- msats_all %>%
filter(Gaps < 5)</pre>
```

We then calculated sMLH for all remaining individuals and added this to the fitness data.

```
# Convert msat data to inbreedR input
msat_genotypes39 <- msats_all %>% select(Pv9.a:Mang36.b)
msat_ids <- msats_all %>% select(uniqueID)

msat_genotypes39_raw <- convert_raw(msat_genotypes39)

# Check if data is in right format for InbreedR
check_data(msat_genotypes39_raw, num_ind = nrow(msat_ids), num_loci =
    length(msat_genotypes39_raw))

## [1] TRUE</pre>
```

```
# Calculate sMLH (incl FWB)
het39 <- sMLH(msat_genotypes39_raw)

sMLH_msat39 <- cbind(msat_ids, het39)
colnames(sMLH_msat39) <- c("uniqueID", "sMLH_msat39")

# Add sMLH to pup data
pup_data <- left_join(pup_data, sMLH_msat39, by = c("uniqueID_pup" = "uniqueID")) %>%
    rename(sMLH_msat39_pup=sMLH_msat39)

pup_data <- left_join(pup_data, sMLH_msat39, by = c("uniqueID_mum" = "uniqueID"))%>%
    rename(sMLH_msat39_mum=sMLH_msat39)
```

We then removed all mothers and maternal information for the mothers that were not a genetic match (ie more than 1 mismatching locus).

```
mutate(MumBirthYear = ifelse(gen_mum == "mismatch", NA, MumBirthYear)) %>%
mutate(Mum_Age = ifelse(gen_mum == "mismatch", NA, Mum_Age)) %>%
mutate(sMLH_msat39_mum = ifelse(gen_mum == "mismatch", NA, sMLH_msat39_mum)) %>%
select(-c(gen_mum, MISMATCHES))
```

And finally added a column with survival information (1 = survived until tagging, 0 = died).

Making sure all variables have the right categories

```
# Fix column categories
pup_data <- pup_data %>%
  mutate(Pup_Sex = as.factor(Pup_Sex)) %>%
  mutate(Year = as.factor(Year)) %>%
  mutate(Age_Tag = as.integer(Age_Tag)) %>%
  mutate(Survival = as.factor(Survival))
```

SNP dataset

Datasets for birth weight, survival and repeated measures growth analysis. Scripts for SNP data filtering, calculating sMLH and F_{ROH} are available on github **LINK**.

Variance in inbreeding

To explore the variance in inbreeding, we also calculated g_2 (n permunations = 1000, n bootstraps = 1000). Since the g_2 calculations can take some time, we calculated it once, stored it as a Gdata object and load the data from the saved object. The code to calculate the g_2 can be found on Github **LINK**, as well as the resulting Rdata objects.

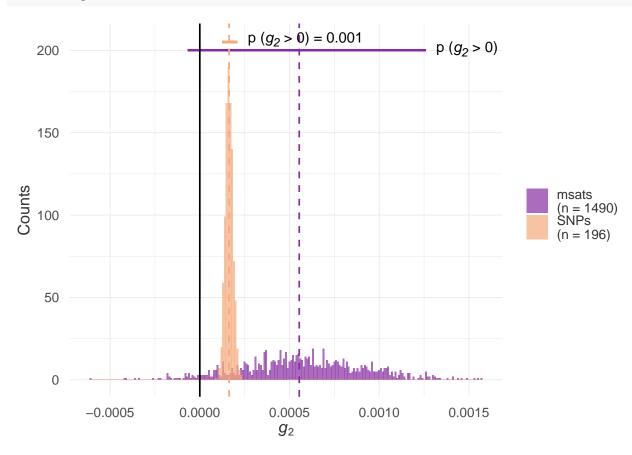
```
load(here("Data", "Processed", "g2_39loci_after_checks.RData"))
# summary
g2_391oci
##
##
## Calculation of identity disequilibrium with g2 for microsatellite data
##
## Data: 1490 observations at 39 markers
## Function call = g2_microsats(genotypes = msat_genotypes39_raw, nperm = 1000,
                                                                             nboot = 1000, CI =
## g2 = 0.0005543019, se = 0.0003344484
##
## confidence interval
          2.5%
## -6.79188e-05 1.25651e-03
## p (g2 > 0) = 0.041 (based on 1000 permutations)
load(here("Data", "Processed", "g2_snps.RData"))
# summary SNPs
g2_snp_geno
##
##
## Calculation of identity disequilibrium with g2 for SNP data
## -----
## Data: 196 observations at 77417 markers
## Function call = g2_snps(genotypes = snp_genotypes, nperm = 1000, nboot = 1000,
                                                                                 CI = 0.95, parall
## g2 = 0.000163467, se = 2.081776e-05
## confidence interval
          2.5%
                     97.5%
```

```
## 0.0001242281 0.0002068790
##
## p (g2 > 0) = 0.001 (based on 999 permutations)
# Make df for plotting
g2_plot <- rbind(data.frame(g2_boot = g2_snp_geno$g2_boot, gen_data = "snps"),</pre>
                 data.frame(g2_boot = g2_39loci$g2_boot, gen_data = "msats"))
lcl_snps <- g2_snp_geno$CI_boot[1]</pre>
ucl_snps <- g2_snp_geno$CI_boot[2]</pre>
g2_boot_summary_snps <- data.frame(lcl_snps, ucl_snps)</pre>
lcl msat <- g2 39loci$CI boot[1]</pre>
ucl_msat <- g2_39loci$CI_boot[2]</pre>
g2_boot_summary_msat <- data.frame(lcl_msat, ucl_msat)</pre>
# Colors
col1 <- "#872ca2"
col2 <- "#f6a97a"
# P values
p_msats <- paste0("p (*g<sub>2</sub>* > 0) = ", g2_39loci$p_val)
p_snps \leftarrow paste0("p (*g < sub > 2 < / sub > * > 0) = ", g2_snp_geno p_val)
# Use Martin Stoffel's GGplot theme as a base
source(here("Rcode", "anneke_theme.R"))
ggplot(g2_plot, aes(x = g2_boot, fill = gen_data)) +
  geom_histogram(alpha = 0.7, position = "identity", binwidth = 0.00001) + # 0.00001 or
  scale_fill_manual(values = c(col1, col2), labels = c("msats\n(n = 1490)", "SNPs\n(n = 1490)")
  → 196)")) +
  # Add CI bars and g2 line for msats
  geom_errorbarh(aes(xmin = g2_boot_summary_msat$lcl_msat , xmax =

    g2_boot_summary_msat$ucl_msat , y = 200),
                 linewidth = 0.8, color = col1, linetype = "solid", height = 0) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = g2_39loci$g2, linewidth = 0.6, color = col1, linetype =
  → "dashed") +
  # Add CI bars and g2 line for SNPs
  geom_errorbarh(aes(xmin = g2_boot_summary_snps$lcl_snps , xmax =

    g2_boot_summary_snps$ucl_snps , y = 205),
                 linewidth = 0.8, color = col2, linetype = "solid", height = 0) +
  geom_vline(xintercept = g2_snp_geno$g2, linewidth = 0.6, color = col2, linetype =
  → "dashed") +
  # Add zero line
  geom_vline(xintercept = 0, linewidth = 0.6, linetype = "solid") +
  # Add p values
  annotate("richtext", x=g2_boot_summary_msat$ucl_msat, y=200, label = p_msats, fill =
  \rightarrow NA, label.color = NA, hjust = -0.05, size = 4) +
  annotate("richtext", x=g2_boot_summary_snps$ucl_snps, y=206, label=p_snps, fill = NA,
  \rightarrow label.color = NA, hjust = -0.05, size = 4) +
  # Add other labs and theme
  labs(y = "Counts", x = expression(italic(g[2]))) +
  theme_anneke() +
```





We then plotted the bootstrapped g_2 values for both the microsatellite data as well as the SNP array data. For both datasets, the g_2 was significantly different from zero (microsatellite data: p = 0.041, SNP array data: p = 0.001).

Statistical models - microsatellite heterozygosity

Microsatellite dataset: pup birth mass

We tested for an effect of individual or maternal heterozygosity (sMLH) on pup birth mass with a linear model. Pup and maternal sMLH were included as continuous variables. Covariates were pup sex and year (as factors) and mother age (as continuous variable) (see Model 1). To make use of a bigger sample size (including pups with known and unknown mothers) we ran the same model while excluding maternal effects (see Model 2). The results were not significantly different (see parameter estimates)).

Model 1: including maternal effects

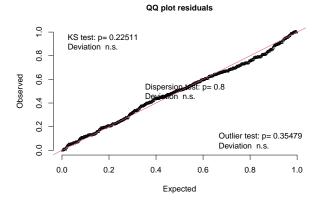
```
data = pup_data)
summary(m1birthmass)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Pup_BirthWeight ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Year +
##
       sMLH_msat39_mum + Mum_Age, data = pup_data)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   3Q
                                           Max
                                       1.77869
## -2.40697 -0.36247 0.00711 0.28261
##
## Coefficients:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                   4.26964
                              0.40443 10.557 < 2e-16 ***
## sMLH_msat39_pup -0.03216
                              0.32150 -0.100 0.920379
## Pup SexM
                   0.64683
                              0.05642 11.465 < 2e-16 ***
## Year2018
                   -0.24587
                              0.08538 -2.880 0.004241 **
## Year2019
                   0.09023
                              0.07433
                                        1.214 0.225593
## Year2020
                   -0.13157
                              0.07441 -1.768 0.077921 .
## sMLH_msat39_mum 0.03986
                              0.31820
                                       0.125 0.900388
## Mum Age
                   0.03722
                              0.01055
                                        3.528 0.000477 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.5171 on 333 degrees of freedom
     (673 observations deleted due to missingness)
## Multiple R-squared: 0.3354, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3214
## F-statistic: 24.01 on 7 and 333 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

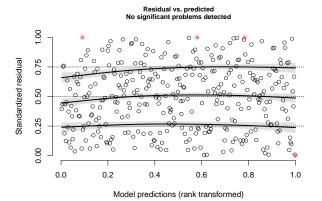
Residual check of model

We used the DHARMa package to check three model assumptions: the first figure shows a test for under/overdispersion, the second figure, a QQplot, checks for normality, and the third figure, residuals versus the predictions, allows to check for issues with linearity and equality of error variances. All three tests did not show significant issues.

DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs. simulated

Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.8





Model 2: excluding maternal effects

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Pup_BirthWeight ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Year,
       data = pup_data)
##
##
##
  Residuals:
        Min
                  1Q
                        Median
                                     3Q
                                             Max
   -2.53276 -0.35509
                      0.01509
                                0.37505
##
                                         2.32427
##
## Coefficients:
##
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                    4.47752
                                0.22852
                                         19.594
                                                 < 2e-16 ***
## sMLH_msat39_pup 0.17719
                                0.22502
                                          0.787
                                                   0.4312
## Pup SexM
                                         13.758
                    0.56985
                                0.04142
                                                 < 2e-16 ***
## Year2018
                    -0.28974
                                0.06105
                                         -4.746 2.44e-06 ***
## Year2019
                                0.05577
                                          2.344
                    0.13072
                                                   0.0193 *
```

Residual check of model

None of the tests show significant issues with the model.

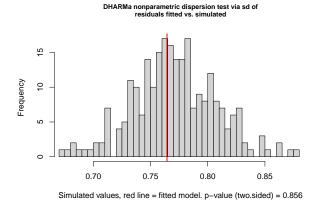
```
# Model assumptions
testDispersion(m2birthmass)

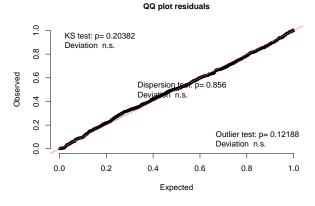
##

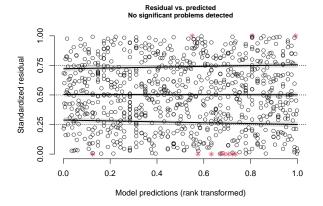
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##

## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.9913, p-value = 0.856
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(m2birthmass)
plotResiduals(m2birthmass)
```







Parameter estimates pup birth mass models

Parameter estimates from: (a) the linear model including maternal genetic diversity (mother sMLH), and (b) the linear model excluding maternal effects. Estimates are shown together with confidence intervals (CI), significant p-values are in bold. For both models, total number of observations, as well as the variance explained by the fixed effects (marginal R^2) and variance explained by both fixed and random effects (conditional R^2) are given. The results of the model including maternal effect (a) compared to the results of the model excluding maternal effects (b) are very similar, even though the sample size is more than double (341 vs. 865, respectively).

```
# Statistical table showing parameter estimates for both models
# Labels
tab_label <- c(</pre>
  `(Intercept)` = "Intercept",
  sMLH_msat39_pup = "pup sMLH",
  Pup_SexM = "pup sex [M]",
  sMLH_msat39_mum = "mother sMLH",
  Mum_Age = "mother age",
  Year2018 = "year [2019]",
  Year2019 = "year [2020]",
  Year2020 = "year [2021]")
# Table
# print so it saves but doesn't show the html table,
# which doesn't display nicely in the pdf generated by Rmarkdown
print(tab_model(m1birthmass, m2birthmass,
          pred.labels = tab_label,
          title = "Pup birth mass",
          dv.labels = c("(a) model incl. maternal effect",
                        "(b) model excl. maternal effect"),
          show.stat=T,
          string.stat = "t value",
          file = here("Tables", "Table_BW_full_model_vs_no_mat_NEW.html")))
# Make a screenshot of saved htlm table and save as a png
# so that it can be shown in Rmarkdown pdf
webshot::webshot(here("Tables", "Table_BW_full_model_vs_no_mat_NEW.html"),
                 file=here("Tables", "Table BW full model vs no mat NEW.png"), delay=2,
                  \rightarrow vheight = 450, vwidth = 700)
```

Pup birth mass

	(a) n	odel incl. mat	ernal eff	ect	(b) model excl. maternal effect				
Predictors	Estimates	CI	t value	p	Estimates	CI	t value	p	
Intercept	4.27	3.47 - 5.07	10.56	< 0.001	4.48	4.03 - 4.93	19.59	< 0.001	
pup sMLH	-0.03	-0.66 - 0.60	-0.10	0.920	0.18	-0.26 - 0.62	0.79	0.431	
pup sex [M]	0.65	0.54 - 0.76	11.47	<0.001	0.57	0.49 - 0.65	13.76	<0.001	
year [2019]	-0.25	-0.410.08	-2.88	0.004	-0.29	-0.410.17	-4.75	<0.001	
year [2020]	0.09	-0.06 - 0.24	1.21	0.226	0.13	0.02 - 0.24	2.34	0.019	
year [2021]	-0.13	-0.28 - 0.01	-1.77	0.078	-0.25	-0.360.15	-4.60	<0.001	
mother sMLH	0.04	-0.59 - 0.67	0.13	0.900					
mother age	0.04	0.02 - 0.06	3.53	<0.001					
Observations	341				865				
$R^2 / R^2 \text{adjusted} $	0.335 / 0.321				0.230 / 0.226				

Microsatellite dataset: survival

Here, we tested for an effect of individual or maternal heterozygosity on pup survival with a generalized linear model (GLM) with a binomial error structure. Survival (1 = survived and 0 = dead) was included as a factor, pup and maternal sMLH were included as continuous variables. Also in this model the addition covariates were pup sex, year (as factors) and mother age (as continuous variable) (see Model 1). Also here we compared the results with the results generated by running the same model on the bigger dataset (including pups with known and unknown mothers) while excluding maternal effects (see Model 2). The results were not significantly different (see parameter estimates)), although in the model without maternal effects there seemed to be a year effect that was not present in the model including maternal effects. Pups were more likely to survive in 2019 compared to 2018 but less likely to survive in 2021 compared to 2018.

Model 1: including maternal effects

```
## Call:
## glm(formula = Survival ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Pup_BirthWeight +
      Year + sMLH_msat39_mum + Mum_Age, family = binomial, data = pup_data)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
                    Median
##
      Min
                1Q
                                  3Q
                                          Max
## -2.4774
           0.3361 0.4556
                              0.5970
                                       1.1670
##
## Coefficients:
##
                  Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                   1.07018
                              2.72392
                                       0.393
                                                0.6944
                              1.83635 -1.698
## sMLH_msat39_pup -3.11803
                                                0.0895
## Pup_SexM
                  -0.91932
                              0.37143 - 2.475
                                                0.0133 *
## Pup_BirthWeight 0.90545
                                       2.920
                              0.31012
                                                0.0035 **
## Year2018
                   0.94569
                              0.54219
                                       1.744
                                                0.0811 .
## Year2019
                   0.78448
                              0.46122
                                        1.701
                                                0.0890 .
## Year2020
                                       0.183
                                                0.8550
                   0.06952
                              0.38051
## sMLH_msat39_mum -0.92426
                              1.80433 -0.512
                                                0.6085
                   0.07032
                              0.06119
                                       1.149
                                                0.2505
## Mum_Age
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##
      Null deviance: 287.77 on 340 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 264.64 on 332 degrees of freedom
     (673 observations deleted due to missingness)
## AIC: 282.64
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5
```

Residual check of model

None of the tests show significant issues with the model.

```
# Model assumptions
testDispersion(m1survival)

##

## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.

## simulated

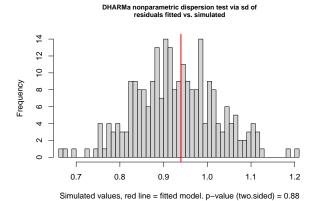
##

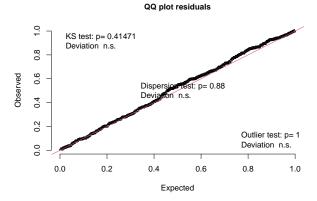
## data: simulationOutput

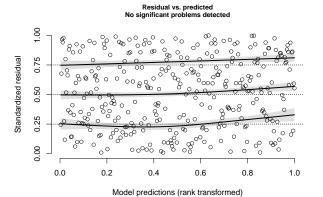
## dispersion = 1.0131, p-value = 0.88

## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(m1survival)
plotResiduals(m1survival)
```







Model 2: excluding maternal effects

```
##
## Call:
  glm(formula = Survival ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Pup_BirthWeight +
##
       Year, family = binomial, data = pup_data)
##
##
  Deviance Residuals:
                      Median
##
       Min
                 1Q
                                    3Q
                                            Max
                      0.4971
##
   -2.6827
             0.3092
                                0.6546
                                         1.4968
##
## Coefficients:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                   -5.04587
                                1.25290
                                         -4.027 5.64e-05 ***
## sMLH_msat39_pup 0.93404
                                0.99080
                                          0.943 0.34583
                                0.20286
                                         -2.677 0.00743 **
## Pup_SexM
                   -0.54304
```

```
## Pup_BirthWeight 1.23536
                               0.16647
                                         7.421 1.16e-13 ***
## Year2018
                    1.05541
                               0.32371
                                         3.260 0.00111 **
## Year2019
                    0.08589
                               0.26292
                                         0.327
                                                0.74392
## Year2020
                   -0.51982
                               0.22989
                                        -2.261
                                                0.02375 *
## Signif. codes:
                  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
   (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##
##
       Null deviance: 837.24 on 864
                                      degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 739.59 on 858 degrees of freedom
     (149 observations deleted due to missingness)
##
## AIC: 753.59
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5
```

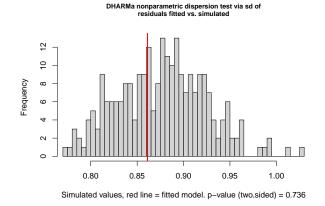
Residual check of model

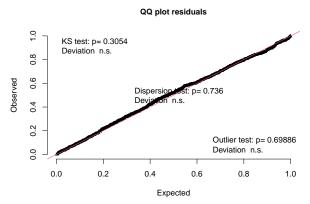
None of the tests show significant issues with the model.

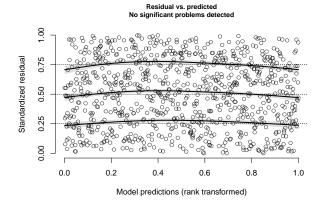
```
# Model assumptions
testDispersion(m2survival)

##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.98214, p-value = 0.736
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(m2survival)
plotResiduals(m2survival)
```







Paramter estimates pup survival models

Parameter estimates from: (a) the GLM with a binomial error distribution including maternal genetic diversity, and (b) the linear model excluding maternal effects. Estimates are shown together with confidence intervals (CI), significant p-values are in bold. For both models, total number of observations, as well as the variance explained by the fixed effects (marginal R^2) and variance explained by both fixed and random effects (conditional R^2) are given. The results of the model including maternal effect (a) compared to the results of the model excluding maternal effects (b) are very similar, even though the sample size is more than double (341 vs. 865, respectively).

```
# Labels
tab_labSurvival <- c(</pre>
  `(Intercept)` = "Intercept",
  sMLH_msat39_pup = "pup sMLH",
  Pup_BirthWeight = "pup birth mass",
  Pup_SexM = "pup sex [M]",
  sMLH_msat39_mum = "mother sMLH",
  Mum_Age = "mother age",
  Year2018 = "year [2019]",
  Year2019 = "year [2020]",
  Year2020 = "year [2021]")
# Table
print(tab model(m1survival, m2survival,
          pred.labels = tab_labSurvival,
          title = "Pup survival",
          dv.labels = c("(a) model incl. maternal effect",
                        "(b) model excl. maternal effect"),
          \#order.terms = c(1, 2, 4, 3, 7, 5, 6),
          show.stat=T,
          string.stat = "t value",
          file = here("Tables", "Table_survival_full_model_vs_no_mat.html")))
# Makes a screenshot of saved htlm table and saves as a png
webshot::webshot(here("Tables", "Table_survival_full_model_vs_no_mat.html"),
                 file=here("Tables", "Table_survival_full_model_vs_no_mat.png"), delay=2,
                     vheight = 450, vwidth = 700)
```

Pup survival

	(a) mo	del incl. mater	et	(b) model excl. maternal effect				
Predictors	Odds Ratios	CI	t value	p	Odds Ratios	CI	t value	p
Intercept	2.92	0.01 - 627.88	0.39	0.694	0.01	0.00 - 0.07	-4.03	< 0.001
pup sMLH	0.04	0.00 - 1.56	-1.70	0.090	2.54	0.36 - 17.80	0.94	0.346
pup sex [M]	0.40	0.19 - 0.82	-2.48	0.013	0.58	0.39 - 0.86	-2.68	0.007
pup birth mass	2.47	1.36 - 4.63	2.92	0.004	3.44	2.50 - 4.81	7.42	<0.001
year [2019]	2.57	0.95 - 8.28	1.74	0.081	2.87	1.55 – 5.56	3.26	0.001
year [2020]	2.19	0.92 - 5.71	1.70	0.089	1.09	0.65 - 1.84	0.33	0.744
year [2021]	1.07	0.51 - 2.29	0.18	0.855	0.59	0.38 - 0.93	-2.26	0.024
mother sMLH	0.40	0.01 - 13.36	-0.51	0.608				
mother age	1.07	0.95 - 1.22	1.15	0.250				
Observations	341				865			
R ² Tjur	0.069				0.131			

Microsatellite dataset: pup weight gain

In order to test for weight gain, the data needs to be filtered to include only surviving pups (for most pups that did not survive, a second weight was not taken, and therefore weight gain could not be calculated).

We then tested for an effect of individual or maternal heterozygosity on pup survival with a linear mixed model (LMM) using the restricted maximum-likelihood (REML) approach. Growth (difference in weight between birth and recapture) was included as a continuous variable. Addition covariates were pup sex, year and mother age (see Model 1). Pup age (number of days between birth and recapture) was included in as a random effect to control for the variation in pup age.

Again, here we compared the results with the results generated by running the same model on the bigger dataset (including pups with known and unknown mothers) while excluding maternal effects (see Model 2). The results were comparable between the two models (see parameter estimates)), although in the model without maternal effects there seemed to be an effect of both pup sex and birth mass, where males gained more weight than females and pups that were born heavier also gained more weight. In the model with maternal effect, these effects were not present, however, we find here a small significant effect of pup sMLH, which is not present in the model without maternal effects.

```
# Keep only pups that survived
pup_alife <- pup_data %>%
filter(Survival == "1") %>%
select(-c(Pup_Death, Survival))
```

Model 1: including maternal effects

```
+ Pup_BirthWeight
                         + Year
                         + sMLH_msat39_mum
                         + Mum_Age
                         + (1 | Age_Tag),
                         #+ (1 | uniqueID_mum), # including or excluding mum ID as
                         - random factor does not affect the results significantly
                         data = pup_alife)
summary(m1growth)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: WeightGain ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Pup_BirthWeight + Year +
      sMLH_msat39_mum + Mum_Age + (1 | Age_Tag)
##
     Data: pup_alife
## REML criterion at convergence: 992
##
## Scaled residuals:
             1Q Median
                             3Q
      Min
                                    Max
## -3.2502 -0.6279 0.0561 0.5781 2.5040
##
## Random effects:
                       Variance Std.Dev.
## Groups Name
## Age_Tag (Intercept) 0.2831
                               0.532
                       1.5913
                               1.261
## Residual
## Number of obs: 290, groups: Age_Tag, 46
##
## Fixed effects:
##
                                           df t value Pr(>|t|)
                  Estimate Std. Error
## (Intercept)
                   2.21274 0.87405 260.73777
## sMLH_msat39_pup
                                                2.532
                                                        0.0119 *
## Pup_SexM
                   0.35312 0.19481 277.22811
                                                1.813
                                                       0.0710 .
## Pup_BirthWeight 0.04295 0.15982 275.30120 0.269
                                                        0.7883
                   1.47865 0.23705 272.47639
## Year2018
                                               6.238 1.69e-09 ***
## Year2019
                             0.20812 278.65049 10.559 < 2e-16 ***
                   2.19757
## Year2020
                   1.66577
                           0.21825 279.36539
                                               7.632 3.66e-13 ***
## sMLH msat39 mum -1.06241
                             0.86121 264.87430 -1.234 0.2184
                   0.07830
                             0.03310 280.77285 2.366 0.0187 *
## Mum_Age
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Residual check of model

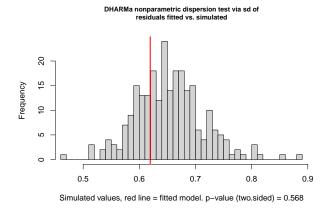
None of the tests show significant issues with the model.

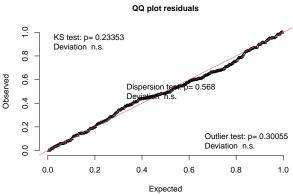
```
# Model assumptions
testDispersion(m1growth)
```

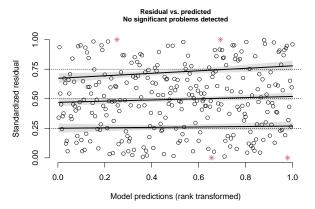
```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
```

```
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.94834, p-value = 0.568
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(m1growth)
plotResiduals(m1growth)
```







Model 2: excluding maternal effects

```
m2growth <- lmerTest::lmer(WeightGain ~ sMLH_msat39_pup</pre>
                            + Pup_Sex
                            + Pup_BirthWeight
                            + Year
                            + (1 | Age_Tag),
                            data = pup_alife)
summary(m2growth)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula: WeightGain ~ sMLH_msat39_pup + Pup_Sex + Pup_BirthWeight + Year +
##
       (1 | Age_Tag)
##
      Data: pup_alife
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 2535.1
```

```
## Scaled residuals:
##
       Min
                1Q Median
  -3.2421 -0.6164 0.0191 0.5914
##
                                     3.2394
##
## Random effects:
    Groups
                         Variance Std.Dev.
##
             Name
    Age_Tag (Intercept) 0.4162
                                   0.6452
##
##
    Residual
                         1.9610
                                   1.4004
  Number of obs: 702, groups: Age_Tag, 64
##
## Fixed effects:
                    Estimate Std. Error
                                                df t value Pr(>|t|)
##
                                0.75700 681.50859
## (Intercept)
                     0.79612
                                                     1.052 0.29332
## sMLH_msat39_pup
                     0.44197
                                 0.59754 654.61408
                                                     0.740
                                                            0.45978
## Pup_SexM
                     0.37776
                                 0.12340 651.20921
                                                     3.061
                                                            0.00230 **
## Pup_BirthWeight
                                0.09754 660.31330
                                                     2.921
                     0.28487
                                                            0.00361 **
## Year2018
                     1.71760
                                 0.15841 659.91879
                                                    10.843
                                                            < 2e-16 ***
## Year2019
                     1.94567
                                 0.14878 690.02196
                                                    13.077
                                                            < 2e-16 ***
## Year2020
                     1.59356
                                 0.15736 688.17459
                                                    10.127
                                                            < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:
                   0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Residual check of model

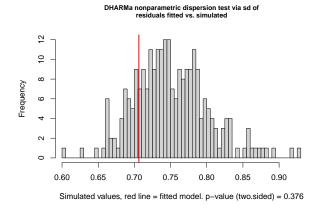
##

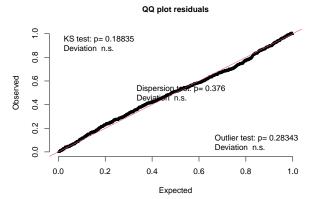
None of the tests show significant issues with the model.

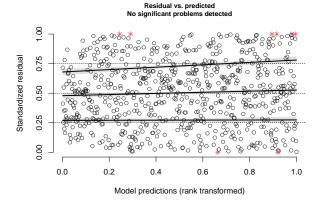
```
# Model assumptions
testDispersion(m2growth)

##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.94053, p-value = 0.376
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(m2growth)
plotResiduals(m2growth)
```







Paramter estimates pup survival models

Parameter estimates from: (a) the REML linear mixed model including maternal genetic diversity, and (b) excluding maternal effects. Estimates are shown together with confidence intervals (CI), significant p-values are in bold. For both models, total number of observations, as well as the variance explained by the fixed effects (marginal R^2) and variance explained by both fixed and random effects (conditional R^2) are given. Mother ID was included as a random effect to account for repeated measures in model A. For this random effect, the mean squared error (σ^2) , between group variance (τ_{00}) , Intraclass Correlation Coefficient (ICC; the consistency within an individual across multiple measurements) and the sample size (n) are reported.

```
# Labels
tab_labGrowth <- c(</pre>
  `(Intercept)` = "Intercept",
  sMLH_msat39_pup = "pup sMLH",
  Pup_BirthWeight = "pup birth mass",
  Pup_SexM = "pup sex [M]",
  sMLH_msat39_mum = "mother sMLH",
  Mum_Age = "mother age",
  Year2018 = "year [2019]",
  Year2019 = "year [2020]",
  Year2020 = "year [2021]")
# Table
print(tab_model(m1growth, m2growth,
          pred.labels = tab_labGrowth,
          title = "Pup growth",
          dv.labels = c("(a) model incl. maternal effect",
                        "(b) model excl. maternal effect"),
          \#order.terms = c(1, 2, 4, 3, 7, 5, 6),
          show.stat=T,
          string.stat = "t value",
          file = here("Tables", "Table_growth_full_model_vs_no_mat_NEW.html")))
# Makes a screenshot of saved htlm table and saves as a png
webshot::webshot(here("Tables", "Table_growth_full_model_vs_no_mat_NEW.html"),
                 file=here("Tables", "Table_growth_full_model_vs_no_mat_NEW.png"),
                     delay=2, vheight = 450, vwidth = 750)
```

Pup growth

	(a) model incl. maternal effect				(b) model excl. maternal effect					
Predictors	Estimates	CI	t value	p	Estimates	CI	t value	p		
Intercept	0.57	-1.96 - 3.10	0.44	0.659	0.80	-0.69 - 2.28	1.05	0.293		
pup sMLH	2.21	0.49 - 3.93	2.53	0.012	0.44	-0.73 - 1.62	0.74	0.460		
pup sex [M]	0.35	-0.03 - 0.74	1.81	0.071	0.38	0.14 - 0.62	3.06	0.002		
pup birth mass	0.04	-0.27 - 0.36	0.27	0.788	0.28	0.09 - 0.48	2.92	0.004		
year [2019]	1.48	1.01 - 1.95	6.24	<0.001	1.72	1.41 - 2.03	10.84	<0.001		
year [2020]	2.20	1.79 – 2.61	10.56	<0.001	1.95	1.65 - 2.24	13.08	<0.001		
year [2021]	1.67	1.24 - 2.10	7.63	<0.001	1.59	1.28 - 1.90	10.13	<0.001		
mother sMLH	-1.06	-2.76 - 0.63	-1.23	0.218						
mother age	0.08	0.01 - 0.14	2.37	0.019						
Random Effects										
σ^2	1.59				1.96					
τ_{00}	0.28 Age_	0.28 Age_Tag				$0.42~\mathrm{Age_Tag}$				
ICC	0.15			0.18						
N	46 Age_Tag				64 Age_Tag					
Observations	290				702					
Marginal R2 / Conditional R2	0.342 / 0.	441			0.248 / 0.	380				

Statistical models - SNP inbreeding

Birth weight analysis

In this section of the script factors affecting birth weight are investigated.

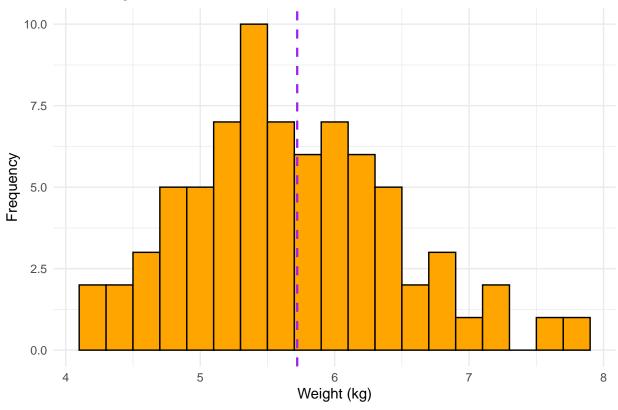
Filtered data for birth weight analysis For both birth weight analyses and later growth analyses only pups that survived through the season are included. Mums that were no genetic match with their pups were also removed (concerns pup H2 and H5, they were switched and suckled by the others mum).

Data visualization Before fitting the models, the raw data is visualized to explore distribution.

```
#min/mean/max of birth weight
mean_birth_weight <- mean(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Birth_weight, na.rm = T)</pre>
#5.721333
#min_birth_weight <- min(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Birth_weight, na.rm = T)</pre>
#max_birth_weight <- max(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Birth_weight, na.rm = T)</pre>
#7.8
birth_weight_raw <- ggplot(UniqueSurvivors_Day60, aes(x = Birth_weight)) +
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 0.2, fill = "orange", color = "black") +
  geom_vline(aes(xintercept = mean_birth_weight), color = "purple", linetype = "dashed",
  \rightarrow linewidth = 0.8) +
  labs(title = "Birth weight distribution",
       x = "Weight (kg)",
       y = "Frequency") +
  theme minimal()
#Based on visual inspection, the birth weight looks fairly normally distributed
shapiro.test(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Birth_weight) #the shapiro-wilk test tests for
\hookrightarrow normality. The null-hypothesis is that the population is normally distributed. P
   value > 0.05 implying that the distribution of the data are not significantly
   different from normal distribution. Therefore, we can assume normality.
##
##
  Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Birth_weight
## W = 0.98272, p-value = 0.3983
#plots
plot_grid(birth_weight_raw, labels = "AUTO", label_size = 15)
```

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A Birth weight distribution



Model The birth weight data is normally distributed, so the model is built with a gaussian distribution.

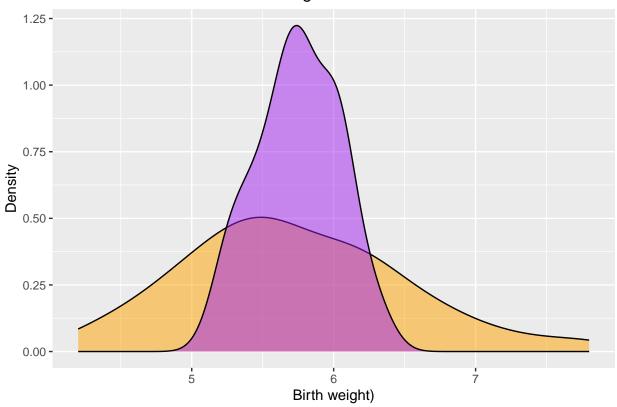
```
BW.model <- lm(Birth_weight ~ Sex +
                   Season +
                   Beach +
                   sMLH_SNP.new +
                   sMLH_SNP.new_mum,
                   data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60)
#plot(BW.model)
#summary(BW.model)
\#testDispersion(BW.model) \#good\ fit
#plotQQunif(BW.model) #deviation not significant
#Test model fit
#Predict values for your existing data
predicted_values <- predict(BW.model, type = "response")</pre>
na_values <- rep(NA, 4) #to make the predicted no. of values equal to the observed data
predicted_values <- c(predicted_values, na_values)</pre>
#plot the densities of the predicted and observed data
BW_model <- ggplot(UniqueSurvivors_Day60, aes(x = Birth_weight)) +</pre>
 geom_density(fill = "orange", alpha = 0.5) +
  geom_density(aes(x = predicted_values), fill = "purple", alpha = 0.5) +
  labs(x = "Birth weight)", y = "Density") +
  ggtitle("Observed vs. Predicted birth weight")
```

BW_model #Note: densities does not match greatly

 $\hbox{\tt \#\# Warning: Removed 1 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_density()`).}$

Warning: Removed 4 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_density()`).

Observed vs. Predicted birth weight



sjPlot::tab_model(BW.model)

Birth weight

Predictors

Estimates

CI

p

(Intercept)

17.23

-1.35 - 35.82

0.069

Sex [M]

0.37

```
-0.06 - 0.80
0.094
Season [1920]
0.30
-0.05 - 0.66
0.090
Beach [SSB]
0.15
-0.20 - 0.51
0.390
sMLH SNP new
-1.51
-15.98 - 12.96
0.836
sMLH SNP new mum
-10.38
-24.24 - 3.48
0.140
Observations
72
R2 / R2 adjusted
0.143 / 0.078
#model with froh
BW.model.froh <- lm(Birth_weight ~ froh +
                     froh_mum +
                     Sex +
                     Season +
                    Beach,
                     data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60)
#plot(BW.model.froh)
#summary(BW.model.froh)
\#testDispersion(BW.model.froh)\ \#good\ fit
#plotQQunif(BW.model.froh) #deviation not significant
\#sjPlot::tab\_model(BW.model.froh)
```

Survival analysis

Note: for the pups C20 and N1 their mums, F20 and FWB1, respectively, died during the sampling season as well.

First step for the survival analysis is to transform the 'Death' variable into a binary (0,1) variable and remove the two pups that were not cared for by their biological mum.

```
Unique_Day60$Survived <- ifelse(Unique_Day60$Death == 'N',1,0)</pre>
```

Binomial data for survival analysis

Model The model is built with a binary response variable. The model includes includes sMLH values calculated from SNP data.

Survived
Predictors
Odds Ratios
CI
p
(Intercept)
0.00
0.00 - 370698589295009267722.00
0.536
sMLH SNP new
0.00
0.00 - 9279502535017.64
0.487
Sex [M]
0.92

```
0.24 - 3.37
0.904
Birth weight
2.28
1.11 - 5.54
0.041
Season [1920]
0.89
0.27 - 2.95
0.854
Beach [SSB]
4.57
1.39 - 18.04
0.018
sMLH SNP new mum
780628827631272.12\\
0.00 - 10530105895299114617862688224684886288.00\\
0.169
Observations
91
R2 Tjur
0.156
#survival model with froh
Survival.model.froh <- glm(Survived ~ froh +</pre>
                         froh_mum +
                         Sex +
                         Season +
                         Beach +
                         Birth_weight,
                         data = Unique_Day60, family = 'binomial')
#summary(Survival.model.froh)
#Binary variable codes so 0 means the pup died that season and 1 means the pup survived.
#Birth weight and beach is significant
#Test model
#testDispersion(Survival.model.froh) #qood fit
\#plotQQunif(Survival.model.froh) \#deviation not significant
sjPlot::tab_model(Survival.model.froh)
```

Survived

Predictors	
Odds Ratios	
CI	
p	
(Intercept)	
0.01	
0.00-9.37	
0.216	
froh	
3759442126998.22	
0.00 - 2561652649118132075204480622686600220	.00
0.277	
froh mum	
0.00	
0.00 - 128696014461957.86	
0.469	
Sex [M]	
1.12	
0.30 - 4.05	
0.867	
Season [1920]	
0.88	
0.27 - 2.76	
0.821	
Beach [SSB]	
3.91	
1.23 - 14.56	
0.028	
Birth weight	
2.22	
1.10 - 5.22	
0.042	
Observations	
91	
R2 Tjur	

0.153

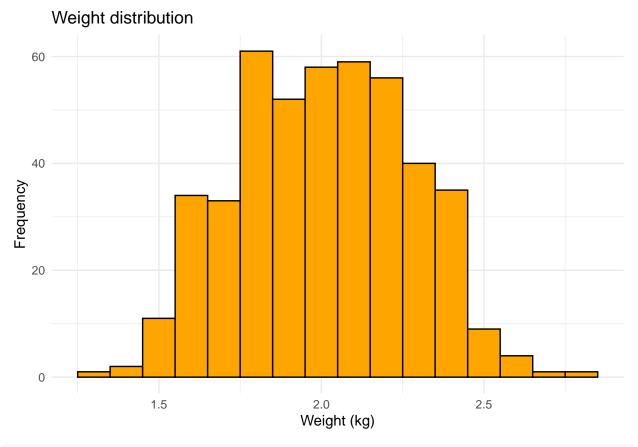
Growth curves with repeated measures

The dataset from FWB and SSB in season 1819/1920 contains repeated measures of growth at 6 different time points until tagging. This section contains the analysis of growth based on growth curves utilizing the repeated measures. $RM = repeated \ measures$

Data visualization Before fitting the models, the raw data is visualized to explore distribution. Weight data is visually expected on its own and fitted against age in days to understand general distribution and pattern over time. The raw data is visually expected using ggplot2 and further explored using the shapirowilk test.

```
#mean of weight kg
mean_weight <- mean(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg, na.rm = T)</pre>
#max_tagging_weight <- max(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Last_weight, na.rm = T)</pre>
#16.3
weight_raw <- ggplot(SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = Weight_kg)) +</pre>
  geom_histogram(binwidth = 0.4, fill = "orange", color = "black") +
  geom_vline(aes(xintercept = mean_weight), color = "purple", linetype = "dashed",
  \rightarrow linewidth = 0.8) +
  labs(title = "Weight distribution",
       x = "Weight (kg)",
       y = "Frequency") +
  theme_minimal()
#Based on visual inspection, data is slightly right-skewed
ggplot(SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = log(Weight_kg))) +
  geom histogram(binwidth = 0.1, fill = "orange", color = "black") +
  labs(title = "Weight distribution",
       x = "Weight (kg)",
       y = "Frequency") +
  theme minimal()
```

Warning: Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_bin()`).



```
shapiro.test(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg) #the shapiro-wilk test tests for normality. The
null-hypothesis is that the population is normally distributed. The test is
significant, so we reject the null-hypothesis. The weight_kg data is not normally
distributed. By scaling the outcome variable, we can make it more suitable to built
models with, even though it does not necessarily normalize the distribution.
```

```
##
##
   Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg
## W = 0.96611, p-value = 8.89e-09
#shapiro.test(scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg)) still not normally distributed, however
if it allows for normally distributed residuals down stream, it is valid.
#SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg_scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg)
SurvivorsRM_Day60$Age_Days_scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Age_Days)
#shapiro.test(log(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg)) #a log transformation could handle this,

    if needed

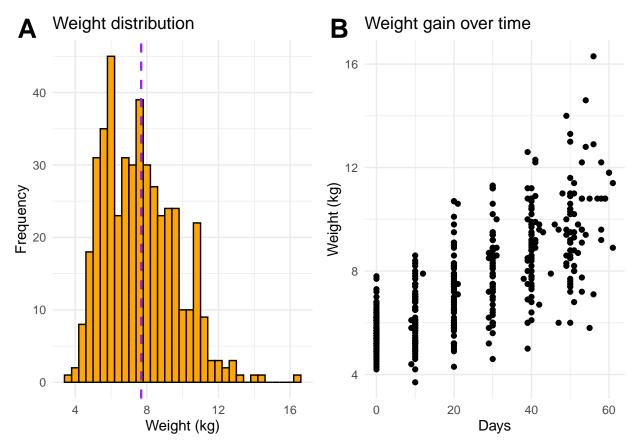
#however, GLM with appropriate data distribution or nonlinear models like logistic and
⇒ gompertz are also a good way to solve this.
SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg_log <- log(SurvivorsRM_Day60$Weight_kg)
weight_over_time <- ggplot(SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = Age_Days, y = Weight_kg)) +</pre>
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Weight gain over time",
      x = "Days",
```

```
y = "Weight (kg)") +
theme_minimal()

#plots
plot_grid(weight_raw, weight_over_time, labels = "AUTO", label_size = 20)
```

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Based on both visual inspection and the shapiro-wilk test, the weight data does not follow a normal distribution but is slightly right-skewed. The weight data follows a gamma distribution and will be modelled as such.

Repeated measures growth curve models

For the models with repeated measures, a random effects term 'ID' is added to inform the model that some observations are clustered within the same individual. The base is built around a generalized linear mixed-effects model (GLMM) to account for the repeated measures and the right-skewed data. The Gamma(link = "log") data distribution ensures that the predicted values are positive.

```
RM <- lmer(Weight_kg_log ~ Age_Days_scale + (1 | ID),</pre>
            data = SurvivorsRM_Day60,
            REML = F)
#summary(RM)
#growth varying per day, each individual has different slopes ((Age_Days | ID))
RM1 <- lmer(Weight_kg_log ~ Age_Days_scale + (Age_Days_scale - 1 | ID),
            data = SurvivorsRM Day60,
            REML = F)
## boundary (singular) fit: see ?isSingular
#summary(RM1)
#growth varying per day, both intercept and slope vary per individual
RM2 <- lmer(Weight_kg_log ~ Age_Days_scale + (1 + Age_Days_scale | ID),
            data = SurvivorsRM_Day60,
            REML = F)
#summary(RM2)
#explanation: Fixed effects estimate: Intercept is average birth weight
                                    # Age_Days is one day change in weight
            # Random effects: associated variance
            # Intercept: how much variance in birth weight between pups
            # Age_Days: difference in slope. 0.00060 might not sound as much
            # Corr: the correlation between the slope and intercept: 0.36
            # it's positive, which indicates that pups with higher intercept
            # on average has a steeper slope as well.
            # Residual: 0.5593029. Refers to the variance not explained by the variables
            → in the model
            # additionally, looking at confint(RM2), the confidence interval
            # for the intercept and for the Age_Days does not cross 0.
#ICC = repeatability of weight across individuals
models <- list(RMO, RM, RM1, RM2)</pre>
mod.names <- c('null-model', 'intercept', 'slope', 'i+s')</pre>
AIC_model_structure <- aictab(cand.set = models, modnames = mod.names)
AIC_model_structure
##
## Model selection based on AICc:
##
                  AICc Delta_AICc AICcWt Cum.Wt
             K
              6 -561.00
                            0.00 1 1 286.59
## i+s
## intercept 4 -542.06
                            18.93
                                       0
                                             1 275.08
                           301.22
             4 -259.78
                                             1 133.94
## slope
                                       0
## null-model 3 32.95
                           593.94
                                       0
                                              1 - 13.45
#the RM2 model, which allows both intercept and slope to vary per individual performs
⇒ best.
#testDispersion(RM2)
#plotQQunif(RM2)
#clean up
```

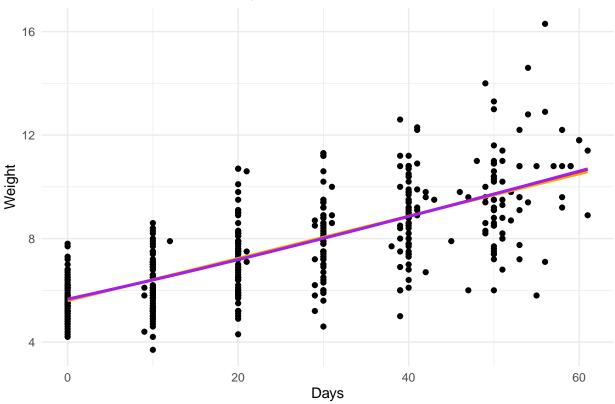
```
rm(RMO, RM1, RM, models, mod.names)
```

Exploration of growth curve fit We can explore other growth curves. In the larger dataset birth weight ranges from 2.45 to 7.7 kg and weight at day 60 from 6.5 to 14.6 kg. In this dataset with repeated measures, lowest birth weight is 4.2 and highest last weight is 16.3.

```
#For these models, the parameters K, r and t are used to fit the model
            #K is the max weight the pups can reach, set to 20kg, as heaviest pup was
            → 16.3
            #r is the growth rate, the average growth rate is used: 0.080821
            #t is the inflection point; the time at which the pups growth most rapidly.
            #set at 30days, as this is the mid-point
#logistic growth model
logistic.model <- nls(Weight_kg ~ K / (1 + exp(-r * (Age_Days - t))),</pre>
                      data = SurvivorsRM_Day60,
                      start = list(K = 20, r = 0.080821, t = 30))
#gompertz growth model
gompertz.model <- nls(Weight_kg ~ K * exp(-exp(-r * (Age_Days - t))),</pre>
                      data = SurvivorsRM_Day60,
                      start = list(K = 20, r = 0.080821, t = 30))
#Linear
linear.model <- nls(Weight_kg ~ a * Age_Days +b,</pre>
                    data = SurvivorsRM_Day60,
                    start = list(a = 0.080821, b = 2.45))
                    #for the linear model, a and b are parameters used to fit the model
                    #a is the linear growth rate; the average growth rate is used:
                     #b is the birth weight, here set at 2.45kg, as lightest measured pup
                     \rightarrow was 2.45kq.
# Compare the models using AIC
models.1 <- list(linear.model, logistic.model, gompertz.model)</pre>
mod.names.1 <- c('linear.model', 'logistic.model', 'gompertz.model')</pre>
AIC_growth_curves <- aictab(cand.set = models.1, modnames = mod.names.1)
AIC_growth_curves
## Model selection based on AICc:
##
##
                       AICc Delta_AICc AICcWt Cum.Wt
                  K
## linear.model
                  3 1623.24
                                  0.00
                                        0.52
                                                 0.52 -808.59
## logistic.model 4 1624.81
                                  1.57
                                         0.24
                                                 0.76 -808.36
## gompertz.model 4 1624.82
                                  1.58
                                        0.24
                                               1.00 -808.36
#in this basic model format, the linear model is the best fit
# Visualize the fits
ggplot(SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = Age_Days, y = Weight_kg)) +
  geom_point() +
 geom_smooth(method = "nls", formula = y ~ a * x + b, se = FALSE, color = "orange",
```

```
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
```

Growth Curve Models Comparison



```
#clean up
rm(linear.model, logistic.model, gompertz.model, models.1, mod.names.1)
```

The different growth curves all lie within a delta AIC of 2, which means the general difference between the fit of the different growth curves to the data is not strong. Therefore, we proceed with the linear model structure.

Model Now that we have determined the base structure of the repeated measures model, we can add more explanatory variables.

```
#without scaled continuous variables, this will not work
SurvivorsRM_Day60$sMLH_SNP.new_scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$sMLH_SNP.new)
SurvivorsRM_Day60$sMLH_SNP.new_mum_scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$sMLH_SNP.new_mum)
SurvivorsRM_Day60$froh_scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM_Day60$froh)</pre>
SurvivorsRM Day60$froh mum scale <- scale(SurvivorsRM Day60$froh mum)
# Calculate the correlation matrix for numeric variables
cor_matrix <- cor(SurvivorsRM_Day60[, c("Age_Days_scale", "sMLH_SNP.new_scale",</pre>
"sMLH_SNP.new_mum_scale")], use = "pairwise.complete.obs")
eigenvalues <- eigen(cor matrix)$values</pre>
#the eigenvalues are close to 1, which indicate some level of collinearity, but not
⇔ enough to create a considerable effect
#Rule of thump: random factors should have >= 5 levels.
#Random vs fixed effects:
#Random effects should be categorical. Interested in controlling for/estimate the
→ variance.
#Fixed effects are the effects we known from linear models
#growth varying per day, both intercept and slope vary per individual including

→ explanatory variables

#model fitted with log transformed weight kg
RM2_EV_log <- lmer(Weight_kg_log ~ Age_Days_scale +
               sMLH SNP.new scale +
               Sex +
               Season +
               Beach +
               sMLH_SNP.new_mum_scale +
               (1 + scale(Age_Days) | ID),
               data = SurvivorsRM_Day60)
#summary(RM2_EV_log)
sjPlot::tab_model(RM2_EV_log)
```

```
Weight kg log
Predictors
Estimates
CI
p
(Intercept)
1.91
1.84 - 1.99
<0.001
Age Days scale
0.19
```

0.17 - 0.20 < 0.001

 sMLH SNP new scale

0.00

-0.04 - 0.04

0.952

Sex [M]

0.11

0.03 - 0.19

0.004

Season [1920]

0.04

-0.02 - 0.10

0.201

Beach [SSB]

0.03

-0.04 - 0.09

0.433

 sMLH SNP new mum scale

-0.04

-0.07 - -0.00

0.033

Random Effects

2

0.01

00 ID

0.02

11 ID.scale(Age_Days)

0.00

 $01~\mathrm{ID}$

0.34

ICC

0.65

N ID

73

Observations

Marginal R2 / Conditional R2

0.590 / 0.856

```
#Age, Sex and mums sMLH_SNP has a significant effect

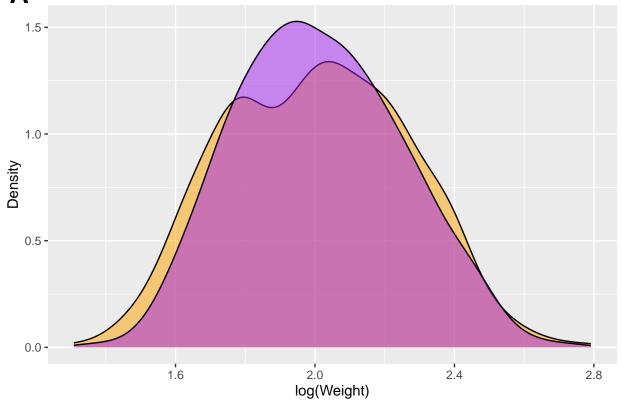
#test model fit
# Predict values for your existing data
predicted_values <- predict(RM2_EV_log, type = "response")
na_values <- rep(NA, 20) #to make the predicted no. of values equal to the observed data
predicted_values <- c(predicted_values, na_values)

#plot the densities of the predicted and observed data
log_model <- ggplot(SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = Weight_kg_log)) +
geom_density(fill = "orange", alpha = 0.5) +
geom_density(aes(x = predicted_values), fill = "purple", alpha = 0.5) +
labs(x = "log(Weight)", y = "Density") +
ggtitle("Observed vs. Predicted Weight")

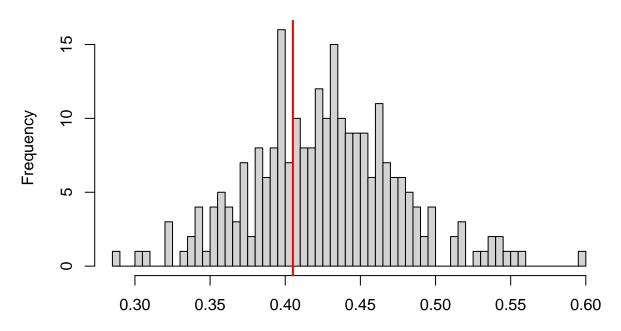
plot_grid(log_model, labels = "AUTO", label_size = 20)</pre>
```

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Observed vs. Predicted Weight



DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs. simulated

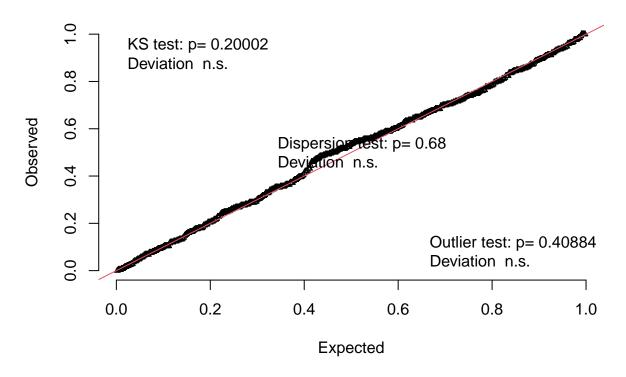


Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.68

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.95002, p-value = 0.68
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(RM2_EV_log) #good fit
```

QQ plot residuals



```
Weight kg log
Predictors
```

Estimates

CI

р

(Intercept)

1.90

1.83 - 1.97

< 0.001

froh scale

-0.02

-0.05 - 0.01

0.226

froh mum scale

0.02

-0.01 - 0.06

0.165

Sex [M]

0.12

0.05 - 0.19

< 0.001

Season [1920]

0.04

-0.02 - 0.11

0.193

Beach [SSB]

0.03

-0.03 - 0.09

0.362

Age Days scale

0.19

0.17 - 0.20

< 0.001

Random Effects

2

0.01

00 ID

0.02

11 ID.scale(Age_Days)

0.00

 $01~\mathrm{ID}$

0.30

 ${\rm ICC}$

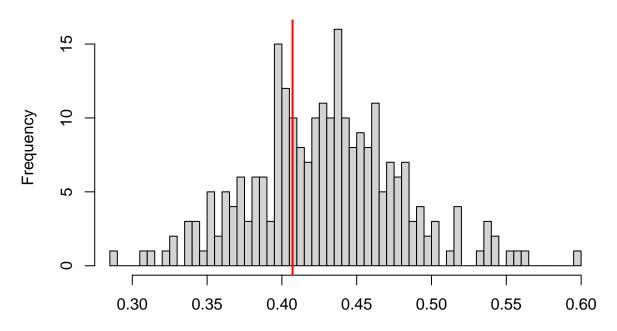
0.65

 $_{
m N~ID}$

```
73
Observations
439
Marginal R2 / Conditional R2
0.587 / 0.856
```

testDispersion(RM2_EV_froh) #good fit

DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs. simulated

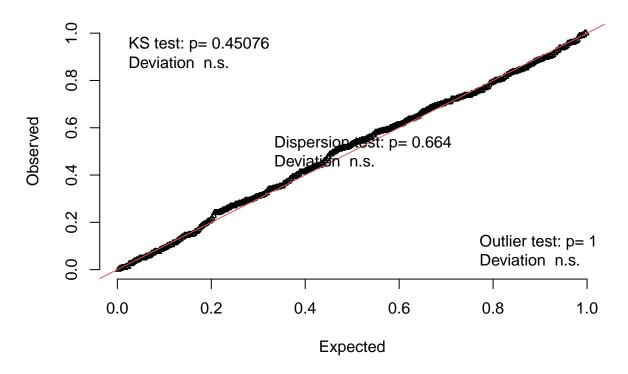


Simulated values, red line = fitted model. p-value (two.sided) = 0.664

```
##
## DHARMa nonparametric dispersion test via sd of residuals fitted vs.
## simulated
##
## data: simulationOutput
## dispersion = 0.9491, p-value = 0.664
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided

plotQQunif(RM2_EV_froh) #good fit
```

QQ plot residuals



```
#clean up
rm(cor_matrix, eigenvalues, na_values)
```

Individual growth curves

We can use the repeated measures dataset to built a weight model and extract individual growth curves, that we can further explore. The growth curves estimate trajectories that are unique to each individual.

```
sMLH SNP.new +
                   sMLH_SNP.new_mum,
                   data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60)
#plot(I.model)
#summary(I.model) #intercept is essentially birth weight, and is not explained strongly
⇒ by any of the other parameters
#testDispersion(I.model) #good fit
#plotQQunif(I.model) #deviation not significant
S.model <- lm(Slope ~ Sex +
                   Season +
                   Beach +
                   sMLH SNP.new +
                   sMLH_SNP.new_mum,
                   data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60)
#plot(S.model)
#summary(S.model) #slope is explained by sex with males growing faster
#testDispersion(S.model) #qood fit
#plotQQunif(S.model) #deviation not significant
#repeat with froh values
#Get individual growth curves (utilizes the growth model from the previous section)
Coefficients.froh <- coef(RM2_EV_froh)[[1]][c("scale(Age_Days)", "(Intercept)")]</pre>
setnames(Coefficients.froh, c("Slope.froh", "Intercept.froh"))
Coefficients.froh <- data.table(ID = rownames(Coefficients.froh), Coefficients.froh)</pre>
#The model was built on log transformed weight data, so the coefficients have been back
\leftrightarrow transformed.
Coefficients.froh$Slope.froh <- exp(Coefficients.froh$Slope.froh)</pre>
Coefficients.froh$Intercept.froh <- exp(Coefficients.froh$Intercept.froh)</pre>
UniqueSurvivors_Day60 <- left_join(UniqueSurvivors_Day60, Coefficients.froh, by = 'ID')</pre>
#shapiro.test(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Slope) #normally distributed
#shapiro.test(UniqueSurvivors_Day60$Intercept) #normally distributed
I.model.froh <- lm(Intercept.froh ~ Sex +</pre>
                   Season +
                   Beach +
                   froh +
                   froh mum,
                   data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60)
#plot(I.model.froh)
#summary(I.model.froh) #intercept is essentially birth weight, and is not explained
→ strongly by any of the other parameters
#testDispersion(I.model.froh) #qood fit
\#plotQQunif(I.model.froh) \#deviation not significant
S.model.froh <- lm(Slope.froh ~ Sex +
                   Season +
                   Beach +
```

Manuscript figures

Figure 1: map and seasonal data

```
#~~~~#
# Seasonal data ####
#~~~~~#
seasonal_data <- read.table(here("Data", "Raw", "seasonal_data.txt"), sep = "\t",</pre>
⇔ stringsAsFactors = F, header = T)
#~~ make figure
# Use Martin Stoffel's GGplot theme as a base
source(here("Rcode", "anneke_theme.R"))
# Make a list for the theme so it is the same for all figures
gglayer_theme <- list(</pre>
  scale_x_discrete(labels = c(`2017-2018` = "2018", `2018-2019` = "2019", `2019-2020` =
  \Rightarrow "2020", `2020-2021` = "2021")),
 theme anneke(),
 theme(axis.line.x = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.line.y = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
       plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1)))
)
# Make sub plots
# Plot a is blank canvas + title where later the map gets added
p_a <- ggplot(seasonal_data %% filter(variable=="SSB ESTIMATED NUMBER OF FEMALE
→ BREEDERS"),
      aes(x = season, y = mean)) +
  #geom_pointrange(aes(ymin = CI95_low, ymax = CI95_high)) +
  #geom_point(shape = 22, size = 4, fill = "#eb7f86") +
  labs(title="(a) Map of Bird Island", x= "", y="") +
  gglayer_theme +
  theme(axis.line.x = element_blank(),
      axis.line.y = element_line(colour = 'white', linetype='solid'),
     axis.text = element_text(colour = "white"),
     panel.grid=element_blank(),
     panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
     panel.grid.minor=element_blank())
p_breeders <- ggplot(seasonal_data%>% filter(variable=="SSB ESTIMATED NUMBER OF FEMALE
⇔ BREEDERS"),
                     aes(x = season, y = mean)) +
  geom_pointrange(aes(ymin = CI95_low, ymax = CI95_high)) +
  geom_point(shape = 22, size = 4, fill = "#ea4f88") +
  labs(title="(b) Female breeders", x= "Year", y="No. of breeders") +
  gglayer_theme
p bm <- ggplot(seasonal data%% filter(variable=="SSB FEMALE PUP BIRTH MASS (kg)"),
```

```
aes(x = season, y = mean)) +
  geom_pointrange(aes(ymin = CI95_low, ymax = CI95_high)) +
  geom_point(shape = 22, size = 4, fill = "#4b2991") +
  labs(title="(c) Female pup birth mass", x= "Year", y="Birth mass (kg)") +
  gglayer_theme
p_foraging <- ggplot(seasonal_data %>% filter(variable=="FWB FEMALE FORAGING TRIP
 → DURATION (days)"),
                      aes(x = season, y = mean)) +
  geom_pointrange(aes(ymin = CI95_low, ymax = CI95_high)) +
  geom_point(shape = 22, size = 4, fill = "#f6a97a") +
  labs(title="(d) Female foraging trip duration", x="Year", y="Time at sea (days)") +
  gglayer_theme
# Bird Island map ####
#~~~~~#
library(sf)
## Linking to GEOS 3.10.2, GDAL 3.4.1, PROJ 7.2.1; sf use s2() is TRUE
library(chron)
library(rgdal)
## Loading required package: sp
## Warning: package 'sp' was built under R version 4.0.5
## Please note that rgdal will be retired during October 2023,
## plan transition to sf/stars/terra functions using GDAL and PROJ
## at your earliest convenience.
## See https://r-spatial.org/r/2023/05/15/evolution4.html and https://github.com/r-spatial/evolution
## rgdal: version: 1.6-7, (SVN revision 1203)
## Geospatial Data Abstraction Library extensions to R successfully loaded
## Loaded GDAL runtime: GDAL 3.4.1, released 2021/12/27
## Path to GDAL shared files: C:/Users/localadmin/Documents/R/win-library/4.0/rgdal/gdal
## GDAL binary built with GEOS: TRUE
## Loaded PROJ runtime: Rel. 7.2.1, January 1st, 2021, [PJ_VERSION: 721]
## Path to PROJ shared files: C:/Users/localadmin/Documents/R/win-library/4.0/rgdal/proj
## PROJ CDN enabled: FALSE
## Linking to sp version:1.4-5
## To mute warnings of possible GDAL/OSR exportToProj4() degradation,
## use options("rgdal_show_exportToProj4_warnings"="none") before loading sp or rgdal.
library(ggspatial)
library(ggsn)
## Warning: package 'ggsn' was built under R version 4.0.5
## Loading required package: grid
# bird island maps
bi_coast <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "Map_Old",</pre>
```

→ "BI Coast Projected new.shp"))

```
## Reading layer `BI_Coast_Projected_new' from data source
     C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird Island Map\Map_Old\BI_Coast_Projected_new.shp'
     using driver `ESRI Shapefile'
## Simple feature collection with 28 features and 5 fields
## Geometry type: POLYGON
## Dimension:
## Bounding box: xmin: -38.08212 ymin: -54.02197 xmax: -38.00766 ymax: -53.99703
## Geodetic CRS: WGS 84
bi_r <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "rivers_lines", "sg_bird_rivers.shp"))

    #rivers

## Reading layer `sg_bird_rivers' from data source
     `C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird Island Map\rivers_lines\sg_bird_rivers.shp'
##
     using driver `ESRI Shapefile'
## Simple feature collection with 23 features and 9 fields
## Geometry type: LINESTRING
## Dimension:
                  XY
## Bounding box: xmin: -70432.32 ymin: 108837.5 xmax: -66966.1 ymax: 110309
## Projected CRS: WGS 84 / South Georgia Lambert
bi_c <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "contours", "sg_bird_contours.shp")) #
## Reading layer `sg_bird_contours' from data source
##
     `C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird Island Map\contours\sg_bird_contours.shp'
    using driver `ESRI Shapefile'
## Simple feature collection with 842 features and 4 fields
## Geometry type: LINESTRING
## Dimension:
                  XY
## Bounding box: xmin: -70879.52 ymin: 108350.2 xmax: -66120.84 ymax: 110974.7
## Projected CRS: WGS 84 / South Georgia Lambert
bi <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "coastline", "sg_bird_coast.shp"))
## Reading layer `sg bird coast' from data source
     `C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird Island Map\coastline\sg_bird_coast.shp'
     using driver `ESRI Shapefile'
##
## Simple feature collection with 122 features and 7 fields
## Geometry type: POLYGON
## Dimension:
                  XΥ
## Bounding box: xmin: -71251.06 ymin: 107969.6 xmax: -65945.78 ymax: 111316
## Projected CRS: WGS 84 / South Georgia Lambert
# outline of ssb and fwb, made in Google Earth
ssb <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "beachs", "SSB.kml", "doc.kml"))</pre>
## Reading layer `SSB.kmz' from data source
     \label{lem:code} $$C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird\ Island\ Map\beachs\SSB.kml\doc.kml'$$
##
     using driver `KML'
## Simple feature collection with 1 feature and 2 fields
## Geometry type: POLYGON
## Dimension:
                  XYZ
```

```
## Bounding box: xmin: -38.05125 ymin: -54.01178 xmax: -38.05022 ymax: -54.01133
                  zmin: 0 zmax: 0
## z range:
## Geodetic CRS: WGS 84
fwb <- st_read(here("Rcode", "Bird Island Map", "beachs", "FWB.kml", "doc.kml"))</pre>
## Reading layer `FWB.kmz' from data source
     `C:\Uni\10_Growth_msats-2017-2020\Rcode\Bird Island Map\beachs\FWB.kml\doc.kml'
    using driver `KML'
## Simple feature collection with 1 feature and 2 fields
## Geometry type: POLYGON
## Dimension:
                  XYZ
## Bounding box: xmin: -38.05219 ymin: -54.00916 xmax: -38.05081 ymax: -54.00836
                  zmin: 0 zmax: 0
## z_range:
## Geodetic CRS: WGS 84
#### mapping bird island ----
plot.bi.color <- ggplot() +</pre>
   geom_sf(data = bi_coast, fill = "#ADADAD") +
   \#geom\_sf(data = bi\_r, color = "blue") +
   \#geom\_sf(data = bi\_c) +
   geom_sf(data=ssb, fill = "#872ca2") + #ssb
   geom_sf(data=fwb, fill = "#fa7876") + #fwb
  theme(legend.position="none") +
   theme void()
#+ scalebar(data = bi_coast, dist = 500, dist_unit = "m",
# transform = TRUE, model = "WGS84",
# location = "bottomright",
# box.fill = "white", border.size = 0.5))
#### mapping study colonies ----
#adds box around study colonies on bird island map
plot.bi.color. <- plot.bi.color +</pre>
   annotate(geom = "rect",
            xmin = -38.060,
            xmax = -38.045,
            ymin = -54.014,
            ymax = -54.0065,
            fill = NA, # transparent bg
            color = "black" )
plot.bi.beaches.color <- ggplot() +</pre>
  geom_sf(data = bi_coast, fill = "NA") +
  geom_sf(data = bi_coast, fill = "#D4CEC2") + # "#eaeaea"
  geom_sf(data = fwb, fill = "#fa7876") +
  geom_sf(data = ssb, fill = "#872ca2") +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  theme_void()
#add text
plot.bi.beaches.color <- plot.bi.beaches.color +</pre>
    coord_sf(xlim = c(-38.060, -38.045),
             ylim = c(-54.014, -54.0065),
             expand = FALSE) +
```

```
annotation_scale(aes(location="br", style = "ticks")) +
   theme(panel.border = element_rect(colour = "black", fill=NA, size=1)) +
   annotate(geom = "text",
            x = -38.05,
            y = -54.0092
            label = "FWB",
            color = "#fa7876",
            fontface = "bold") +
   annotate(geom = "text",
            x = -38.05,
            y = -54.011,
            label = "SSB",
            color = "#872ca2",
            fontface = "bold") #+
## Warning: The `size` argument of `element_rect()` is deprecated as of ggplot2 3.4.0.
## i Please use the `linewidth` argument instead.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
   # annotate(geom = "text",
   #
             x = -38.058,
              y = -54.0068,
    #
              label = "Bird Island",
              color = "black",
              fontface = "bold") )
#combine
map <- ggdraw(p_a) + # empty canvas with title to match other plots
 draw_plot(plot.bi.beaches.color, x= 0.07, scale = .8) + # study colonies
 draw_plot(plot.bi.color., 0.07, .48, .5, .5, scale = 1.3) #+ # Bird Iland
 \#theme(plot.marqin = marqin(1,1,1,1.2, "cm"))
#map
#~~~~#
# Final plot ####
#~~~~#
P_seasonal <- plot_grid(map, p_breeders, p_bm, p_foraging)</pre>
                       # , labels = c("(a) Map of Bird Island",
                                    "(b) Female breeders",
                       #
                                    "(c) Female pup birth mass",
                                   "(d) Female foraging trip duration"),
                       # label_size = 12, label_fontface = "plain")
P_seasonal
```

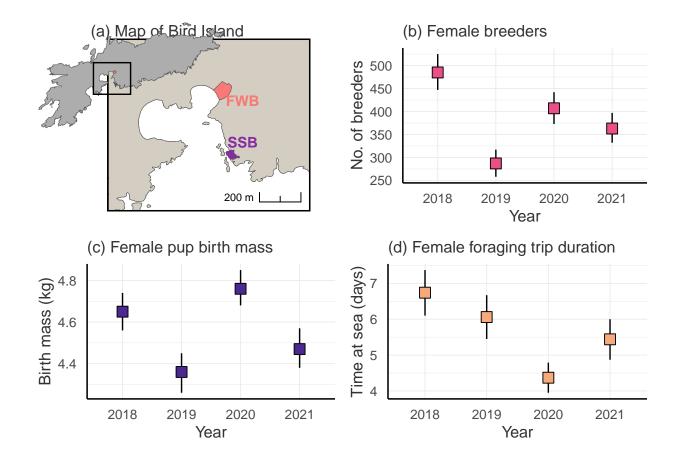


Figure 2: forest plots microsatellite models

```
# Make general theme ####
# Color non sig effects
col1 = "dimgrey"
# Color sig effects
col2 = "#fa7876" #"#ea4f88" # "#872ca2"
# Use Martin Stoffel's GGplot theme as a base
source(here("Rcode", "anneke_theme.R"))
# Make a list for the theme so it is the same for all figures
gglayer theme <- list(</pre>
  geom_point(shape = 22, size = 3, fill = "black"),
  theme anneke(),
  theme(axis.line.x = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.line.y = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour = 'black'),
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1)))
)
```

```
plot_label <- c(</pre>
  `(Intercept)` = "Intercept",
  sMLH_msat39_pup = "pup sMLH",
  Pup_SexM = "pup sex [M]",
  Pup_BirthWeight = "pup birth mass",
  sMLH_msat39_mum = "mother sMLH",
 Mum_Age = "mother age",
 Year2018 = "year [2019]",
 Year2019 = "year [2020]",
 Year2020 = "year [2021]")
#~~~~~~~~~~~~#
# Function to create forest plots ####
#~~~~~~~~~#
plot_data_models = function(data_model, p_title) {
  # #Test function
  # p_title <- "(a) Birth mass"</pre>
  # data_model <- m1birthmass</pre>
 p <- plot_model(data_model,</pre>
                 show.intercept = F,
                  type="est",
                  \#order.terms = c(1, 4, 2, 3)
                 ci.lvl=0.95,
                  axis.labels = plot label,
                 title=p_title,
                  colors = "black",
                 line.size=0.5,
                  vline.color = "#cccccc") # Look into theme_sjplot to make pretty #,
                  \rightarrow sort.est = TRUE
  p <- p + gglayer_theme</pre>
  #p
  # Adjust line size vertical line
  p$layers[[1]]$aes_params$size <- 1.3
  #~~ Possible sjPlot bug, but in the binomial model, the whiskers for one of the fixed
  ⇔ effects are missing. Fix this:
  if(class(data_model)[1]=="glm") {
   if(data_model$family[1] == "binomial") {
     p <- p + scale_y_log10(labels = scales::math_format(expr = .x))</pre>
     q <- ggplot_build(p)</pre>
      # In q$data[[3]], y = the model estimate, and ymin and ymax are the 95% CI (check
     → with: confint(m1birthmass, level = 0.95) ) for LM
```

```
# For the binomial model it is the transferred Odds ratio, which is done for the
      \rightarrow figure.
      # Therefore the values do NOT match the odds ratios (which one can calculate with
      ⇒ exp(cbind(Odds_Ratio = confint(m1survival))) for example).
      # Instead the values are log10 transformed. So they match with
      ⇒ log10(exp(cbind(Odds_Ratio = confint(m1survival))))
      # Replace ymin and ymax with correct values
      q$data[[3]][["ymin"]] <- log10(exp(cbind(Odds_Ratio = confint(m1survival))))[-1,1]
      q$data[[3]][["ymax"]] <- log10(exp(cbind(Odds Ratio = confint(m1survival))))[-1,2]</pre>
    }
  } else {
    p <- p + scale_y_continuous(labels = scales::label_number())</pre>
    q <- ggplot_build(p) }</pre>
  #~~ Identify significant variables and give them a different color
  q$data[[3]] = q$data[[3]] %>%
    mutate(fill = ifelse(ymin < 0 & ymax > 0, col1, col2))
  #q$data[[2]]$colour = q$data[[3]]$fill # only necessary if you keep the dots instead of

    the squares

  # Line below to remove the dots complete. Gives a warning for missing values, but that
  → is not a problem
  q$data[[2]]$colour = NA
  q$data[[4]]$fill = q$data[[3]]$fill
 final_plot <- ggplot_gtable(q)</pre>
  #plot(final_plot)
 return(final_plot)
}
#~~ Apply function to 3 models
# nb warnings are because I am removing dots and adding squares in the function above
p.bw <- plot_data_models(m1birthmass, "(a) Birth mass")</pre>
## Scale for y is already present.
## Adding another scale for y, which will replace the existing scale.
## Warning: Removed 7 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
```

```
p.surv <- plot_data_models(m1survival, "(b) Survival")</pre>
## Scale for y is already present.
## Adding another scale for y, which will replace the existing scale.
## Waiting for profiling to be done...
## Waiting for profiling to be done...
## Warning: Removed 8 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
p.wg <- plot_data_models(m1growth, "(c) Growth")</pre>
## Scale for y is already present.
## Adding another scale for y, which will replace the existing scale.
## Warning: Removed 8 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
#plot(p.wg)
#~~ Save plots
all_plots <- cowplot::plot_grid(p.bw, p.surv, p.wg,</pre>
                                 nrow = 1)
\#align = "v"
all_plots
```

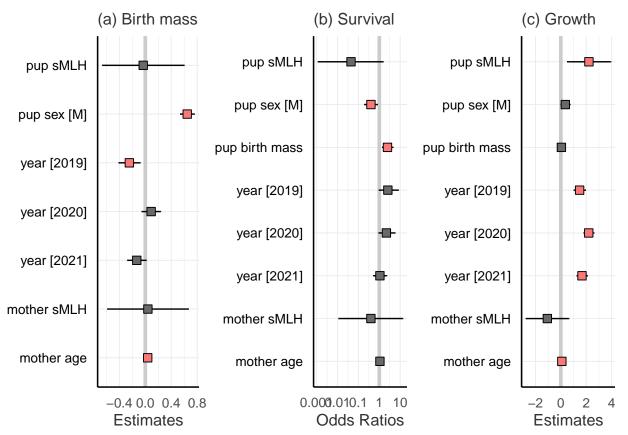


Figure 3: forest plots SNP models

Forest plots for birth weight, survival and growth models

Plots for figure

```
AllCurves <- ggplot(data = SurvivorsRM_Day60, aes(x = Age_Days, y = Weight_kg, group =
  → ID)) +
     geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = F, colour = "grey", linewidth = 0.8, alpha = 0.5) +
     geom_point(shape = 0, colour = "black", size = 1) +
     geom_abline(slope = 0.081732, intercept = 5.597941, colour = "black", linewidth = 1.1)
      \#qeom\_abline(slope = 0.080226, intercept = 5.502678, colour = "orange", size = 2) +
     \#annotate(geom="text", y = 15.5, x = 15, size = 5, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15, label = "FWB: y = 0.080226*age + 15.5, x = 15, size = 15,

⇒ 5.502678", color = "orange") +

     \#qeom\_abline(slope = 0.080821, intercept = 5.511745, colour = "purple", size = 2) +
     \#annotate(geom="text", y = 16, x = 15, size = 5, label = "SSB: y = 0.080821*age + 15, label = 15
       → 5.511745", color = "purple") +
     theme_bw(base_size = 18) + #removes background color
     theme(panel.border = element blank()) + #removes border lines
     theme(axis.line = element_line(colour = "black")) + #adds in axis lines
     xlab("Age (Days)") + #name of x lab
     ylab("Weight (Kg)") + #name of y lab
     ggtitle("(b) Linear growth curves incl. average") #title of plot
#https://quantdev.ssri.psu.edu/tutorials/qrowth-modeling-basics
p.allcurves <- AllCurves +
     gglayer_theme_alt2 +
     theme(axis.title.y=element_text(angle=0, vjust = 0.5))
#Plot for poster with illustrative examples
PlotIllu <- subset(SurvivorsRM_Day60, ID %in% c('H14', 'H1', 'C12', 'T4', 'H7'))
SubIllu <- ggplot(data = PlotIllu, aes(x = Age_Days, y = Weight_kg, colour = ID)) +
     geom_line(linetype = "dashed", size = 1, alpha = 0.8) +
     geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = F, size = 1.2, alpha = 1) +
     #scale_color_brewer(palette="PuOr") +
     scale_color_carto_d(palette = "ag_Sunset") + #colorblind friendly palette
     theme_bw(base_size = 18) + #removes background color
     theme(panel.border = element_blank()) + #removes border lines
     theme(axis.line = element_line(colour = "black")) + #adds in axis lines
     theme(legend.position = c(0.15, 0.92)) +
     theme(legend.background = element_rect(fill="NA")) +
     xlab("Age (Days)") + #name of x lab
     xlim(0,60) + #x axis limits
     ylab("Weight (Kg)") + #name of y lab
     ylim(3.5,16.4) +
     guides(fill=guide_legend(title="ID")) + #name of legend
     ggtitle("(a) Individual growth curves of 5 pups") #title of plot
```

^{##} Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
i Please use `linewidth` instead.

^{##} This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.

```
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
p.IDGrowth <- SubIllu + gglayer_theme_alt + theme(legend.position = c(0.12, 0.73)) +
  #theme(legend.background = element_rect(fill="NA")) +
  guides(fill=guide_legend(title="ID")) +
  theme(axis.title.y=element_text(angle=0, vjust = 0.5))
#png(file = here("Growthplot.png"), # The directory you want to save the file in
   # width = 100, # The width of the plot in inches
   # height = 50)
#plot grid(SubIllu, AllCurves, labels = "AUTO", label size = 20)
library(ggsignif)
## Warning: package 'ggsignif' was built under R version 4.0.5
I.sex <- ggplot(data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60, aes (x=Sex, y=Slope, fill = Sex)) +</pre>
  geom_boxplot(fill = c("#872ca2", "#ea4f88"), alpha = 0.9) +
  geom_signif(comparisons = list(c("M", "F")), map_signif_level=TRUE, textsize = 7) +
  ylim(0.91, 1.1) +
  theme_anneke() +
  theme(axis.title.y=element_text(angle=0, vjust = 0.5)) +
  ggtitle("(f) Sex driven difference in slope") +
  theme(axis.title = element_text(vjust = 1, hjust = 0.5)) + # angle of axis title
  theme(axis.line.x = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.line.y = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour = 'black'),
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1)))
I.sex.froh <- ggplot(data = UniqueSurvivors_Day60, aes (x=Sex, y=Slope.froh, fill = Sex))</pre>
→ +
  geom_boxplot(fill = c("#872ca2", "#ea4f88"), alpha = 0.9) +
  geom_signif(comparisons = list(c("M", "F")), map_signif_level=TRUE, textsize = 7) +
  ylim(0.91, 1.1) +
  ylab("Slope") + #name of y lab
  theme_anneke() +
  theme(axis.title.y=element_text(angle=0, vjust = 0.5)) +
  ggtitle("(f) Sex driven difference in slope") +
  theme(axis.title = element_text(vjust = 1, hjust = 0.5)) + # angle of axis title
  theme(axis.line.x = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.line.y = element_line(colour = 'black', linetype='solid'),
        axis.text.y = element_text(colour = 'black'),
        plot.title = element_text(size = rel(1)))
  #dev.off()
Final figure
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing missing values (`geom point()`).
## Removed 2 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
```

```
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_boxplot()`).
## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_signif()`).
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## `geom_smooth()` using formula = 'y ~ x'
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 2 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
## Removed 2 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_boxplot()`).
## Warning: Removed 3 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_signif()`).
```

