

Fig. S1. Discriminant function analysis (DFA) of morphological characteristics of clingfish, lumpsucker, and snailfish adhesive discs. Arrows show the direction of loading and relative ability of the measured traits at discriminating the three species.

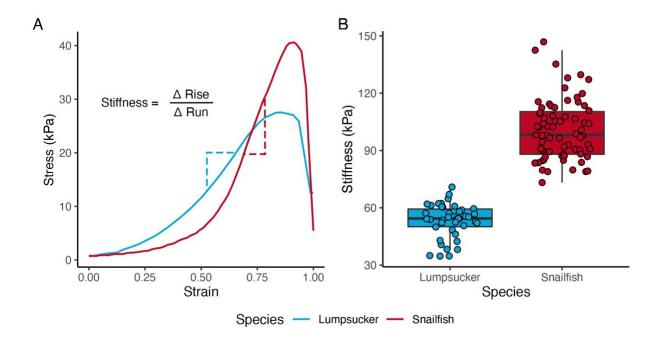


Fig. S2. Example A) stress-strain curves from the lumpsucker and snailfish pull-off trials and B) estimates of stiffness. The stiffness of the lumpsucker and snailfish adhesive discs were estimated by calculating the slope of stress-strain curves at the linear portion.

Table S1. Adhesion performance data for the clingfish, lumpsucker, and snailfish on surfaces of varying roughness.

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Table S2. Load extension curve data for the best clingfish, lumpsucker, and snailfish suction adhesion trails.

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Table S3. Adhesive disc morphometric data measured from micro-CT scans for clingfish, lumpsucker, and snailfish.

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Table S4. Body mass and force per body weight estimates for *Liparis denny*i using different mass~SL relationships.

		Liparis pulchellus	Liparis otochensis	FishBase
Body Mass (g)	Range	10.93 - 42.40	13.43 – 47.74	6.85 - 25.41
	Mean \pm s.d.	23.37 ± 9.75	27.20 ± 10.63	14.25 ± 5.93
Force x BW	Range	15.11 - 38.96	13.42 - 32.31	25.22 - 62.73
	Mean \pm s.d.	27.54 ± 5.51	23.33 ± 4.21	44.83 ± 8.50

Supplementary Materials and Methods

R script file with code to perform the analyses and plot the figures used in this study.

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# Code written by: JMH
# Last updated: October 2022
# Set Up -----
# clear previous environment
rm(list = ls(all=TRUE))
# load in necessary packages
library(dplyr)
library(ggplot2)
library(patchwork)
library(lme4)
library(emmeans)
library(performance)
library(lmodel2)
library(MASS)
# Load Data ------
AllData <- read.csv("Table S1.csv", na.strings = "")
colnames(AllData) <- c("Species", "Specimen", "SL", "Mass", "DA", "Trial", "Surface",
            "Force", "x_BW", "Stress", "Work", "Stiffness")
AllData$Species <- factor(AllData$Species, level = c("EO", "LD", "GM"))
col = setNames(c("#0da8db","#bd0825","#FE9F6D"),c("EO","LD","GM"))
#estimate snailfish mass
#with Liparis pulchellus
AllData$Mass[AllData$Species == "LD"] <- exp(log(AllData$SL[which(AllData$Species ==
"LD")]*10)*3.26+(-12.54))
# with Liparis ochotensis
#AllData$Mass[AllData$Species == "LD"] <- (as.numeric(AllData$SL[which(AllData$Species ==
"LD")])^3.05)*0.01288*1.00260
# with FishBase
#AllData$Mass[AllData$Species == "LD"] <- (as.numeric(AllData$SL[which(AllData$Species ==
"LD")])^3.15)*0.00525
AllData$Mass <- as.numeric(AllData$Mass)
AllData$x_BW <- AllData$Force/(AllData$Mass/1000*9.8)
# Calculate Work ------
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extension <- read.csv("Table S2.csv")
colnames(extension) <- c("Species", "Specimen", "SL", "Mass", "DA", "Trial", "Surface",
               "Peak Force", "Load", "Time", "Extension", "P1", "P2")
AllData$Work <- NA
for (i in unique(extension$Specimen)) {
 specimen <- AllData[which(AllData$Specimen == i),]
 for (y in specimen$Trial) {
  tmp.data <- extension %>% dplyr::filter(Specimen == i & Trial == y)
  tmp.data$Load <- as.numeric(tmp.data$Load)
  tmp.data\Extension <- as.numeric(tmp.data\Extension) * 0.001
# convert extension from mm to m
  # remove all the points prior to the zero extension point and calibrate time
  tmp.data <- tmp.data %>% dplyr::filter(Load >= mean(as.numeric(tmp.data$Load[1:15]))+0.1)
  tmp.data$Time <- as.numeric(tmp.data$Time) - min(as.numeric(tmp.data$Time))
  tmp.data$Extension <- as.numeric(tmp.data$Extension) - min(as.numeric(tmp.data$Extension))
  # find when/what extension = peak load
  max.point <- which(specimen[specimen$Trial == y, "Force"] == tmp.data$Load)
  max.point <- max.point[length(max.point)]</pre>
  dropoff <- max.point
  for (t in max.point:nrow(tmp.data)) {
   if (tmp.data$Load[dropoff]-tmp.data$Load[t] > tmp.data$Load[dropoff]*0.5) {
    dropoff = t
   }
  #calculate stress and strain
  tmp.data$Stress <- tmp.data$Load/tmp.data$DA*10
  tmp.data$Strain <- tmp.data$Extension/tmp.data$Extension[length(tmp.data$Extension)]</pre>
  start <- unique(tmp.data$P1)
  stop <- unique(tmp.data$P2)</pre>
  stiff <- ((tmp.data\Stress[stop] - tmp.data\Stress[start])/(tmp.data\Strain[stop] - tmp.data\Strain[start]))
  # keep only part of the curve until peak load
  tmp.data <- tmp.data[1:max.point,]
  # work under the whole curve
  work <- sum((tmp.data$Load[2:length(tmp.data$Load)] + tmp.data$Load[-length(tmp.data$Load)])/2 *
           (tmp.data\Extension[2:length(tmp.data\Extension)] - tmp.data\Extension[-
length(tmp.data$Extension)]))
  AllData[which(AllData$Specimen == i & AllData$Trial == y), "Work"] <- as.numeric(work)
  AllData[which(AllData$Specimen == i & AllData$Trial == y), "Stiffness"] <- as.numeric(stiff)
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AllData$Work <- AllData$Work * 1000 # convert J to mJ
# perform linear mixed effect models
# calculate point estimates and R^2
AllData$Surface <- as.factor(AllData$Surface)
Force.lme \leftarrow Imer(Force \sim Species * Surface + (1|Specimen), data = AllData)
emmeans(Force.lme, ~ Surface | Species)
r2 nakagawa(Force.lme)
x BW.lme \leftarrow lmer(x BW \sim Species * Surface + (1|Specimen), data = AllData)
emmeans(x BW.lme, ~ Surface | Species)
r2 nakagawa(x BW.lme)
Stress.lme <- lmer(Stress ~ Species * Surface + (1|Specimen), data = AllData)
emmeans(Stress.lme, ~ Surface | Species)
r2 nakagawa(Stress.lme)
Work.lme <- lmer(Work \sim Species * Surface + (1|Specimen), data = AllData)
emmeans(Work.lme, ~ Surface | Species)
r2 nakagawa(Work.lme)
# Plot Fig 2 ------
# code for plotting Figure 2
a <- ggplot(AllData, aes(x = as.factor(Surface), y=Stress, fill = Species)) +geom boxplot(lwd=0.3,outlier.size
= 1, outlier.shape = 21, color = "black", show.legend = T) +
 labs( x = bquote('Surface Roughness'\sim(mu*m)), y = "Stress (kPa)") +
 scale fill manual(values = col[1:3], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 theme classic()+
 theme(legend.position="bottom")
b \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = as.factor(Surface), y = Force, fill = Species)) + geom boxplot(lwd = 0.3, outlier.size = 0.3)
1, outlier.shape = 21, color = "black", show.legend = FALSE) +
 labs( x = bquote('Surface Roughness'\sim(mu*m)), y = "Adhesive Force (N)") +
 scale fill manual(values = col[1:3], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 theme classic()+
 theme(legend.position="none")
c \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = as.factor(Surface), y=((Work)), fill = Species))
+geom boxplot(lwd=0.3,outlier.size = 1, outlier.shape = 21, color = "black", show.legend = FALSE) +
 labs( x = bquote('Surface Roughness'\sim(mu*m)), y = "Work to Detach (mJ)") +
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scale fill manual(values = col[1:3], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 theme classic()+
 theme(legend.position="none")
d \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = as.factor(Surface), y=Force/(Mass/1000*9.8), fill = Species))
+geom boxplot(lwd=0.3,outlier.size = 1, outlier.shape = 21, color = "black", show.legend = FALSE) +
 labs( x = bquote('Surface Roughness'\sim(mu*m)), v = "Force x BW") +
 scale fill manual(values = col[1:3], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 theme classic()+
 theme(legend.position="none")
b + c + d + a + plot annotation(tag levels = "A") + plot layout(guides = 'collect') & theme(legend.position =
'bottom')
# Plot Fig 3 -----
# code for plotting Figure 3
scaleFUN <- function(x) sprintf("%.0f", x)
a <- ggplot(AllData, aes(x = Mass, y = DA, color = Species)) + geom point(pch = 1, size = 1.7) +
 labs( x = "Body Mass (g)", y = bquote('Disc Area' \sim (cm^2))) +
 scale colour manual(values = col[1:3], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 scale x continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 scale y continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 theme classic()+
 geom smooth(method=lm, se=F, formula = y \sim x) +
 theme()
b \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = Mass, y = Force, color = Species)) + geom point(pch = 1, size = 1.7) +
 labs(x = "Body Mass (g)", y = bquote('Adhesive Force (N)')) +
 scale colour manual(values = col[1:3],labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 scale x continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 scale_y_continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN, lim = c(1,60)) +
 theme classic()+
 geom smooth(method=lm, se=F, formula = y \sim x) +
 theme(legend.position = "none")
c \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = DA, y = Force, color = Species)) + geom point(pch = 1, size = 1.7) +
 labs( x = bquote('Disc Area'\sim(cm^2)), y = "Adhesive Force (N)") +
 geom smooth(method=lm, se=F, formula = y \sim x) +
 scale colour manual(values = col[1:3],labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 scale x continuous(trans = "log",labels = scaleFUN) +
 scale y continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 theme classic()+
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theme(legend.position = "none")
d \le gplot(AllData, aes(x = Mass, y = Work, color = Species)) + geom point(pch = 1, size = 1.7) +
 labs( x = "Body Mass (g)", y = "Work to Detach (mJ)") +
 geom smooth(method=lm, se=F, formula = y \sim x) +
 scale colour manual(values = col[1:3],labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker", "GM" =
"Clingfish"))+
 scale x continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 scale y continuous(trans = "log", labels = scaleFUN) +
 theme classic()+
 theme(legend.position = "none")
b + c + d + a + plot layout(guides = 'collect') + plot annotation(tag levels = "A") & theme(legend.position =
'bottom')
# Scaling Analyses ------
# Perform scaling analyses
Allometry <- data.frame()
for (i in c("GM", "EO", "LD")) {
 data <- AllData %>% filter(Species == i & Surface != "0")
 sma <- lmodel2(log10(Force)~log10(as.numeric(Mass)), data = data %>% filter(Surface != "0"))
 iso <- "I"
 if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] > 2/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] > 2/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "P"
 if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] < 2/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] < 2/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "N"
 Allometry <- rbind(Allometry, c("Force vs Mass", i,
                    round(sma\square.3).
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,2],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,2],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,3],3)),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,3],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,4],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5],3)),
                    "0.66",
                    iso))
 sma <- lmodel2(log10(Force)~log10(as.numeric(DA)), data = data %>% filter(Surface != "0"))
 iso <- "I"
 if (isTRUE(sma$confidence.intervals[3,4] >2/2 & sma$confidence.intervals[3,5] > 2/2) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "P"
 if (isTRUE(sma$confidence.intervals[3,4] < 2/2 & sma$confidence.intervals[3,5] < 2/2) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "N"
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Allometry <- rbind(Allometry, c("Force vs DA", i,
                    round(sma\rsquare,3),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,2],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,2],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,3],3)),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,3],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,4],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5],3)),
                    "1",
                    iso))
 sma <- lmodel2(log10(Work)~log10(as.numeric(Mass)), data = data %>% filter(Surface != "0"))
 iso <- "I"
 if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] > 3/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] > 3/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "P"
 if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] < 3/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] < 3/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "N"
 Allometry <- rbind(Allometry, c("Work vs Mass", i,
                    round(sma\square,3),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,2],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,2],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,3],3)),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,3],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,4],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5],3)),
                    "1",
                    iso))
 data <- AllData %>% filter(Species == i & Surface != "0")
 data <- data[which(!duplicated(data$Specimen)).]
 sma <- lmodel2(log10(DA) \sim log10(Mass), data = data)
 iso <- "I"
if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] > 2/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] > 2/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "P"
if (isTRUE(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,4] < 2/3 & sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5] < 2/3) == TRUE) {
  iso <- "N"
 Allometry <- rbind(Allometry, c("DA vs Mass", i,
                    round(sma\rsquare,3),
                    round(sma\$regression.results[3,2],3),
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,2],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,3],3)),
                    round(sma\regression.results[3,3],3).
                    paste0(round(sma\sconfidence.intervals[3,4],3),",
",round(sma\$confidence.intervals[3,5],3)),
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"0.66",
                    iso))
colnames(Allometry) <- c( "Variable", "Species", "R2", "Intercept", "Intercept CI", "Slope", "Slope CI"
,"Expected Slope" ,"Allometry")
Allometry \langle -\text{Allometry}[c(5,9,1,6,10,2,7,11,3,8,12,4),c(1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9)]
Allometry #print results
# CT Data -----
# Read in measurements from CT scans
CTData <- read.csv("Table S3.csv")
colnames(CTData) <- c("Species", "Number", "MorphoSource", "SL", "GirdleLength", "GirdleWidth",
"GirdleHeight", "MeanFinLength", "MeanContraFinDist", "MeanFinSpacing")
# size-correct morphodata using girdle length
CTData[,4:10] < -log(CTData[,4:10])
for (i in c(6:10)) {
 lm <- lm(CTData[,i] \sim CTData[,5])
 CTData[,i] <- lm$residuals
# perform LDA and plot it
Ida < -Ida(Species \sim ... data = CTData[.c(1,6:10)])
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plot(predict(lda)x[,1],predict(lda)x[,2], col = col[CTDataSpecies], pch = 19,
   xlab = "DF1 (95% of trace)", ylab = "DF2 (5% of trace)")
legend("topright", col = col, c("Lumpsucker", "Snailfish", "Clingfish"), pch = 19, bty = "n")
lda.arrows < -function(x, myscale = 1, tex = 0.75, choices = c(1,2), ...)
 ## adds 'biplot' arrows to an Ida using the discriminant function values
 heads <- coef(x)
 arrows(x0 = 0, y0 = 0,
     x1 = myscale * heads[,choices[1]],
     y1 = myscale * heads[,choices[2]], length = .1,...)
 text(myscale * heads[,choices], labels = row.names(heads),
    cex = tex, pos = c(2,4,3,4,1)
lda.arrows(lda, myscale = 0.1)
ggplot(AllData %>% filter(Species != "GM"), aes(x = as.factor(Species), y=Stiffness, fill = Species))+
 geom boxplot(outlier.alpha = 0, show.legend = F)+
 geom point(shape = 21, size = 2, aes(fill = Species, bg = "black"),
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position = position\_jitter(0.25), \ alpha = 1, \ show.legend = F) + labs( \ x = bquote('Species'), \ y = "Stiffness (kPa)") + scale\_fill\_manual(values = col[1:2], labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker")) + scale\_x\_discrete(labels = c("LD" = "Snailfish", "EO" = "Lumpsucker")) + theme\_classic() + theme(legend.position="none")
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