Demographic stochasticity example:



Welcome to New Zealand!

Famous for unique endemic species, flightlessly reveling in an archipelago devoid of terrestrial predators.



New Zealand's Native "K" Birds

Kiwis, Kakas, Kokako, & More



New Zealand ... also home to **Acclimitisation societies!**

Fastidiously delivering exotic species to New Zealand for over 200 years.

Fringilla montifringill

Pvrrhula pvrrhula

Carduelis carduelis

Chloris chloris

Corvus monedula

Linaria cannabina

Luscinia megarhynchos

Emberiza schoeniclus

Alauda arvensis

Turdus philomelos

Passer dom

Species



Back Row: Dr. 1. CLEMINSON A C KELLY J. G. BENFIELD F F F VOUNC A. WHITE N. R. HELLYER S. H. BARNES J. A. MILLER W. B. NICHOLSON G. S. PROCTOR N. W. MILLARD H. L. ASPINALL SMEATON J. A. RHODES (Vice-President) J. M. PATERSON (President) LEONARD MILLAR (Manager-Secretary) G. E. TURNE Absent: J. J. HALL G. J. MILLS J. S. FLEMING R. T. INGRAM

> Presented to Mr. J. M. PATERSON as an appreciation of his long service to the Society

Conditional random effect estimate

Introduction / Extinction of passerine birds ...

... as a function of introduction size!

VOL. 153, NO. 5 THE AMERICAN NATURALIST MAY 1999

Demographic Stochasticity and Social Mating System in the Process of Extinction of Small Populations: The Case of Passerines Introduced to New Zealand

fable	2:	Data	for	passerines	introduced	to	New	Zealand	100	yr ago	
-------	----	------	-----	------------	------------	----	-----	---------	-----	--------	--

	Initial							Initial	
	Introduction	Release	population	Mean			Introduction	Release	population
Released species	success	sites	size	n(0)	p.	Released species	success	sites	size
Initial size, 2-9:						Initial size, 49-81:			
Carduelis flammea	1	w	2 (1)			P. domesticus	1	Α	49 (2)
Carduelis spinus	0	W	2 (1)			P. modularis	1	w	50 (3)
Manorina melanophrys	0	w	2 (1)			C. chloris	1	Λ	51 (3)
Passer montanus	0	0	2 (1)			C. spinus	0	С	52 (2)
Piranga rubra	0	Α	2 (1)			Carduelis carduelis	1	Λ	55 (2)
Pyrrhula pyrrhula	0	С	2 (1)			E. rubecula	0	0	62 (3)
Stagonopleura bella	0	Λ	2 (1)			C. frugilegus	0	Α	66 (2)
Fringilla montifringilla	0	w	3 (1)			A. tristis	0	w	70 (2)
Emberiza cirlus	1	W	4 (1)			Manorina melanocephala	0	0	80 (1)
Emberiza schoeniclus	0	0	4 (1)			C. flammea	1	0	81 (2)
Neochmia temporalis	0	0	4 (1)	5	.78	G. tibicen	1	0	81 (5)
Corvus monedula	0	С	5 (1)			Initial size, 98-126:			
Sylvia atricapilla	0	Α	5 (1)			P. modularis	1	0	98 (2)
Lullula arborea	0	Α	5 (1)			F. coelebs	1	0	99 (3)
Emberiza hortulana	0	W	6 (1)			A. arvensis	1	0	100 (3)
Padda oryzivora	0	Α	6 (1)			A. arvensis	1	w	108 (2)
E. cirlus	1	0	7 (1)			Sturnus vulgaris	1	Α	109 (3)
E. schoeniclus	0	С	7 (2)			E. coelebs	1	A	113 (4)
Carduelis chloris	1	0	8 (1)			F. montifrineilla	0	C	117 (4)
Lonchura punctulata	0	Α	8 (1)			C. carduelis	1	0	118 (4)
S. bella	0	w	8 (1)			C. cannabina	0	С	119 (4)
Turdus philomelos	1	w	8 (1)			T. philomelos	1	۸	125 (2)
Erithacus rubecula	0	Α	9 (3)			S. vulgaris	1	С	125 (4)
Initial size, 10-22:						F. coelebs	1	W	126 (4)
E. rubecula	0	w	10 (1)			Initial size, 138-236:			
Gymnorhina tibicen	1	Α	10 (2)			Turdus merula	1	0	138 (5)
Lonchura castaneothorax	0	С	12 (1)			T. philomelos	1	0	145 (5)
Malurus cyaneus	0	Α	12 (1)			S. vulearis	î	õ	169 (3)
Poephila guttata	0	w	12 (1)			T. merula	1	A	170 (4)
Stagonopleura guttata	0	W	12 (1)			C. carduelis	1	w	177 (3)
N. temporalis	0	Α	12 (2)	15	.79	M. melanocephala	Ô	č	200 (1)
P. montanus	0	Α	12 (2)			P. domesticus	1	w	200 (1)
Passer domesticus	1	0	14 (2)			C. flammea	î	Ä	209 (1)
Fringilla coelebs	1	С	16 (4)			P modularis	i	ĉ	210 (6)
Acridotheres tristis	0	С	18 (1)			M. melanocephala	0	w	224 (4)
Carduelis cannabina	0	0	20 (2)			F. citrinella	1	č	236 (3)
Carduelis flavirostris	0	С	21 (1)			Initial size, 260-345			250 (5)
C. cannabina	0	w	22 (2)			G tibicen	1	w	260 (1)
nitial size, 27-46:						C. carduelis	i	č	265 (4)
L. castaneothorax	0	۸	27 (2)			S vulgaris	1	w	298 (5)
C. chloris	1	ĉ	32 (2)			T thilomelos	î	č	299 (7)
Corvus frugilegus	1	c	36 (4)			C tibicen	1	č	313 (9)
C. flavirostris	0	0	38 (1)			C. flammea	î	č	326 (5)
Emberiza citrinella	1	ō	39 (2)	44	.38	E citrinella	i	Ă	345 (6)
C. cannabina	ō	Ă	42 (4)			Initial size, A34-A77	1	a	545 (0)
P. domesticus	ĩ	ĉ	44 (1)			A arvensis	1	C	434 (5)
Prunella modularis	i	Ă	46 (4)			T merula	1	č	477 (7)
			(+/			1. 110.1 00.04			311 (1)

Mean n(0)

...

...

...

...

...

63

...

....

...

...

....

....

...

...

....

...

113

...

...

....

....

...

....

...

....

...

189

...

....

...

....

...

...

...

301

...

...

....

....

455

p.

...

•••

...

...

...

.42

...

....

•••

•••

...

....

...

....

....

...

.17

...

•••

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

...

.18

...

...

...

•••

...

...

....

...

...

...

...

...

.0

.0

Common redpoll (Carduelis flammea)

Distinguished recipient of the:

Noah's Ark Award for Successful Colonization at $N_0 = 2$

Table 2: Data for passerines introduced to New Zealand 100 yr ago

Released species	Introduction success	Release sites	Initial population size	Mean <i>n</i> (0)	p.	
Initial size, 2–9:						
Carduelis flammea	1	W	2 (1)			
Carduelis spinus	0	W	2 (1)			
Manorina melanophrys	0	w	2 (1)			
Passer montanus	0	0	2 (1)			
Piranga rubra	0	Α	2 (1)			
Pyrrhula pyrrhula	0	С	2 (1)			
Stagonopleura bella	0	Λ	2 (1)			

Extinction of passerine birds ...

Extinction of passerine birds ...

... as a function of introduction size AND mating system!

Model 2: Also include mating system! Monogamous vs. polygynous.

Extinction of passerine birds ...

... as a function of introduction size AND mating system!

Conclusion Long-lived & polygynous species have the lowest

risk of extinction.

VOL. 153, NO. 5 THE AMERICAN NATURALIST MAY 1999

Demographic Stochasticity and Social Mating System in the Process of Extinction of Small Populations: The Case of Passerines Introduced to New Zealand

Historical Ecology, Population Modeling, Behavioral Ecology, Conservation Biology, Statistical Model Fitting