Supplementary material

Investigating brushtail possum (*Trichosurus vulpecula*) home-range size determinants in a New Zealand native forest

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Table S1. Brushtail possum sex ratio, age structure and individual trapping frequency (across the 10-month study period), for the marked subpopulations on Trapping grids A-D

Mean trapping frequencies were similar across grids, sexes and age cohorts

| Parameter | Descriptive | Grid A | Grid B | Grid C | Grid D |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| All individuals | Number | 146 | 178 | 144 | 140 |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 15 (3,41) | 11 (1,36) | 10 (3,37) | 12 (1,33) |
| Adult individuals only | | | | | |
| All adults | Number (percentage of grid population) | 126 (86%) | 130 (73%) | 102 (71%) | 114 (81%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 15 (3,41) | 11 (3,36) | 10 (3,37) | 12 (1,33) |
| Male only | Number (percentage of grid population) | 63 (43%) | 52 (29%) | 51 (35%) | 51 (36%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 17 (3,41) | 14 (3,36) | 11 (3,37) | 14 (3,32) |
| Female only | Number (percentage of grid population) | 63 (43%) | 78 (44%) | 51 (35%) | 63 (45%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 12 (3,40) | 9 (3,26) | 9 (3,25) | 10 (3,33) |
| Juvenile individuals only | | | | | |
| All juveniles | Number (percentage of grid population) | 20 (14%) | 48 (27%) | 42 (29%) | 26 (19%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 14 (3,39) | 11 (1,27) | 11 (3,24) | 14 (3,29) |
| Male only | Number (percentage of grid population) | 8 (6%) | 30 (17%) | 24 (17%) | 16 (11%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 15 (3,39) | 11 (1,27) | 12 (3,23) | 17 (3,29) |
| Female only | Number (percentage of grid population) | 12 (8%) | 18 (10%) | 18 (13%) | 10 (8%) |
| | Mean times trapped (range) | 15 (3,34) | 11 (3,22) | 9 (3,24) | 11 (4,24) |