

Supplementary Material

Table A1. Volumetric dietary data for terapontid species' ontogenetic trophic units. Only dietary categories that totaled more than 5% within any individual species' ontogenetic trophic units are outlined.

Ontogenetic Trophic Unit Size range (mm)	<i>Terapon jarbua</i>		<i>Amniataba percooides</i>				<i>Leiopotherapon unicolor</i>				<i>L. aheneus</i>		<i>Hephaestus fuliginosus</i>				<i>H. carbo</i>		
	1	2	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	1	2	3	4	1	2	3
	>60	60-102	>30	30-60	60-100	100-126	>30	30-60	60-120	120-181	>40	40-73	>40	40-140	140-240	240-320	30-60	60-110	110-163
Broad dietary category																			
Diptera larvae	52.2	18.2	32.3	33.9	20.4	12.4	66.0	23.9	10.6	0.6	34.1	5.9	33.8	25.3	0.8	-	33.6	17.1	5.9
Ephemeroptera	1.7	14.1	11.6	17.1	9.5	6.8	16.0	19.8	7.7	0.2	18.3	5.5	18.5	8.7	1.1	0.1	16.0	9.3	5.9
Trichoptera			6.1	13.0	12.3	4.6	-	15.6	8.1	1.3	6.5	6.2	28.6	15.1	1.5	0.3	8.3	32.1	22.3
Odonata larvae			2.7	2.5	3.7	5.4	-	5.0	7.7	1.5	-	6.8					6.7	9.5	11.2
Other aquatic inverts			0.4	6.5	9.3	5.4	2.0	9.1	9.5	4.2			-	7.8	5.9	1.1	21.9	6.5	4.0
Surface Invertebrates																			
Macrocrustacea	13.3	12.3					-	3.2	19.2	23.0			-	7.5	13.7	9.9	1.7	13.1	15.7
Zooplankton			35.9	7.1	1.6	0.1	16.0	6.4	1.4	-	25.6	1.3	5.3	3.7	-	-	6.6	-	-
Ostracoda																			
Mollusca, Gastropoda																			
Terrestrial invertebrates	2.7	11.0					-	1.0	6.2	14.6			0.1	1.5	6.0	3.1	0.8	3.8	15.8
Fish	12.3	13.1					-	1.1	8.5	37.4			-	2.0	10.8	11.9	-	1.6	12.5
Fish scales	13.3	30.0																	
Eggs																			
Inorganic																			
Detritus											7.3	11.1	1.0	4.1	3.5	1.9			

Table A2. Summary data of raw terapontid OTU morphologies used in study analyses. OTU codes are outlined in Table 1 (main text). All linear variables (standard length, intestinal length, maxilla length, mouth width, head length, snout length, eye diameter, body depth) are presented as average lengths (mm). Relative eye position is presented as a ratio variable (eye height/head depth) and tooth shape and mouth position as coded integer values.

OTU	Standard length	Intestinal length	Head length	Snout length	Maxilla length	Mouth width	Eye diameter	Eye position	Body depth	Tooth Shape	Mouth orientation
Ap1	24.8	15.9	8.3	3.9	2.1	1.7	2.9	0.67	8.0	1	1
Ap2	46.2	34.9	14.6	7.1	3.5	3.9	5.2	0.68	18.0	1	1
Ap3	76.0	65.7	22.0	10.5	5.6	6.7	6.9	0.69	29.2	1	1
Ap4	113.5	112.8	33.3	16.5	8.6	12.1	9.4	0.67	48.1	1	1
Ac	75.3	67.7	21.8	10.9	7.5	8.3	6.9	0.71	27.0	1	1
Hg1	23.5	16.8	8.0	3.7	2.2	2.2	2.9	0.65	8.5	1	1
Hg2	78.7	74.0	25.1	13.3	8.9	8.3	7.5	0.71	27.0	1	1
Hf1	32.9	28.6	11.6	5.6	3.2	2.7	3.5	0.72	11.7	1	1
Hf2	71.6	78.3	27.1	13.3	7.2	8.3	6.6	0.71	26.3	1	1
Hf3	166.7	303.8	54.0	26.0	21.3	19.7	11.1	0.70	73.2	1	1
Hf4	288.8	556.3	87.6	42.3	31.2	40.2	15.1	0.78	106.8	1	1
Hc1	47.3	37.5	15.7	7.2	5.0	4.8	4.8	0.68	19.2	1	1
Hc2	81.3	71.3	26.3	12.1	9.0	9.1	7.2	0.67	34.5	1	1
Hc3	138.1	126.7	42.0	19.6	14.4	18.0	10.1	0.63	55.7	1	1
Ht	151.9	375.3	46.9	23.7	14.0	16.2	12.0	0.61	63.0	1	1
Hj1	33.1	26.5	10.8	5.9	3.7	3.1	3.4	0.70	12.2	1	1
Hj2	91.2	153.3	31.2	15.8	10.7	10.2	7.4	0.70	36.2	1	1
Hj3	194.7	415.7	62.9	30.7	20.9	23.2	12.8	0.70	74.5	1	1
He	226.7	303.0	74.5	36.2	32.1	25.3	14.4	0.74	78.3	1	1
Lu1	23.1	14.5	9.2	4.0	2.3	2.7	2.6	0.66	7.8	1	1
Lu2	42.7	34.0	14.1	6.2	4.9	3.7	4.5	0.77	15.9	1	1
Lu3	87.8	66.8	28.1	12.2	9.1	9.7	7.1	0.77	26.9	1	1
Lu4	139.2	122.6	48.4	20.6	17.0	20.0	9.5	0.74	47.6	1	1
La1	35.2	33.2	11.1	4.9	2.5	3.2	3.8	0.63	8.2	1	1

La2	51.4	96.3	16.3	7.4	4.9	5.1	4.8	0.69	18.4	1	1
Ma	132.8	169.1	43.1	22.8	15.8	14.3	11.9	0.65	58.1	1	1
Pg1	33.1	24.0	11.2	5.6	2.6	2.4	3.3	0.65	11.3	3	3
Pg2	65.1	117.0	19.4	10.3	4.7	5.3	5.5	0.70	22.0	3	3
Pm	57.1	155.3	15.8	8.1	3.8	4.7	4.5	0.64	20.4	3	3
Pl	65.6	118.3	18.8	9.0	5.1	6.0	5.8	0.66	27.9	3	1
Sp1	31.9	37.3	10.1	4.6	3.0	3.0	3.1	0.63	10.2	2	2
Sp2	73.9	188.7	22.2	10.5	6.1	7.1	5.9	0.60	26.7	2	2
Sp3	212.8	773.9	58.0	25.2	11.2	20.0	9.8	0.62	60.0	2	2
Sp4	263.1	1431.7	70.4	32.0	17.6	25.8	12.3	0.62	103.6	2	2
So1	66.5	157.0	20.8	9.2	6.4	7.1	5.3	0.63	26.1	2	2
So2	176.4	521.4	47.1	20.5	12.3	18.0	10.0	0.60	65.6	2	2
So3	246.6	1297.6	63.5	28.0	18.6	24.5	12.5	0.63	159.4	2	2
St1	39.0	57.4	11.2	5.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	0.68	12.5	3	2
St2	76.5	232.2	21.3	11.3	6.7	7.3	4.9	0.71	23.2	3	2
Sb1	63.4	126.1	19.6	10.3	5.6	5.9	4.9	0.65	23.3	3	2
Sb2	120.4	320.4	34.3	17.9	10.3	10.9	7.7	0.61	45.3	3	2
Sb3	187.3	786.5	50.1	26.1	17.9	16.7	10.3	0.60	84.8	3	2
Sr	119.3	415.4	32.8	17.9	9.7	11.6	7.1	0.65	42.4	3	2
Tj1	49.5	44.9	16.1	7.2	6.0	6.5	4.5	0.70	16.4	1	1
Tj2	77.3	82.5	22.0	10.8	9.8	10.5	6.2	0.71	26.8	1	1
VI	149.7	141.1	40.8	18.5	12.2	15.3	10.3	0.65	62.5	1	1

Table A3. Results for scaling analyses of reduced major axis regressions of Log_{10} – transformed standard length versus eight Log_{10} –transformed morphological variables. Morphological are variables coded as follows: IL-intestinal length; ML; maxilla length; MW-mouth width; HL-head length; SNL-snout length; ED-eye diameter; EP-eye position; and BD-body depth. Regression equation slope (b), isometric slope, constant (y-axis intercept), r^2 (square of the correlation coefficient), 95% confidence interval for slope and number of sample points (n) are outlined for each species and variable. Statistically significant allometric relationships ($b \neq 1$) are highlighted in bold.

<i>Amniataba caudovittata</i>						
Variable	b	Isometry	Constant	r^2	Confidence limits	n
Intestinal length	1.363	1.0	-0.766	0.926	0.849-1.878	6
Maxilla length	0.876	1.0	-0.793	0.984	0.723-1.029	6
Maxilla width	0.964	1.0	-0.890	0.890	0.33-1.597	6
Head length	0.704	1.0	0.017	0.770	0.003-1.405	6
Snout length	1.187	1.0	-1.189	0.785	0.175-2.20	6
Eye Diameter	0.301	1.0	0.270	0.730	-0.03-0.634	6
Eye position	-0.640	0.0	1.920	0.590	-1.12-0.023	6
Body depth	0.857	1.0	-0.200	0.886	0.456-1.262	6
<i>Amniataba percoides</i>						
Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r^2	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.385	1.0	-0.761	0.929	1.339-1.431	432
ML	1.094	1.0	-1.284	0.900	1.067-1.121	623
MW	1.239	1.0	-1.480	0.967	1.169-1.308	72
HDL	0.903	1.0	-0.343	0.992	0.877-0.928	72
SNL	0.933	1.0	-7.139	0.981	0.894-0.973	72
ED	0.724	1.0	-0.513	0.973	0.687-0.761	72
EP	0.008	0.0	0.662	0.002	-0.057-0.073	72
BD	1.057	1.0	-0.496	0.966	1.042-1.073	72
<i>Hannia greenwayi</i>						
Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r^2	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.194	1.0	-0.423	0.954	1.041-1.347	15
ML	1.049	1.0	-1.010	0.992	1.012-1.086	28
MW	1.175	1.0	-1.316	0.987	1.113-1.237	28
HDL	0.996	1.0	-0.489	0.988	0.994-1.048	28
SNL	1.071	1.0	-0.907	0.974	0.990-1.151	28
ED	0.803	1.0	-0.647	0.957	0.723-0.882	28
EP	0.231	0.0	0.437	0.786	-0.175-0.287	28
BD	1.068	1.0	-0.542	0.991	1.023-1.114	28
<i>Hephaestus carbo</i>						
Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r^2	Confidence limits	n

IL	1.274	1.0	-0.581	0.954	1.216-1.333	87
ML	1.059	1.0	-1.075	0.981	1.031-1.087	105
MW	1.270	1.0	-1.463	0.982	1.216-1.323	60
HDL	0.916	1.0	-0.333	0.990	0.888-0.944	60
SNL	0.937	1.0	-0.709	0.981	0.896-0.977	60
ED	0.665	1.0	-0.415	0.952	0.619-0.711	60
EP	-0.091	0.0	0.841	0.073	-0.19-0.01	60
BD	1.068	1.0	-0.507	0.986	1.043-1.093	103

Hephaestus epirrhinos

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.516	1.0	-1.085	1.000	1.26-1.772	3
ML	1.154	1.0	-1.206	0.986	-0.591-2.900	3
MW	1.396	1.0	-1.886	0.998	0.501-2.291	3
HDL	1.180	1.0	-0.909	0.985	-0.725-2.9	3
SNL	0.999	1.0	-1.361	0.950	-1.829-3.837	3
ED	0.493	1.0	-0.001	0.860	-0.33-1.307	3
EP	-0.007	0.0	0.755	0.003	-1.61-1.66	3
BD	1.204	1.0	-0.936	0.995	0.15-2.255	3

Hephaestus fuliginosus

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.440	1.0	-0.769	0.965	1.408-1.471	292
ML	1.120	1.0	-1.222	0.985	1.107-1.132	461
MW	1.249	1.0	-1.472	0.992	1.213-1.284	75
HDL	0.935	1.0	-0.347	0.997	0.918-0.952	75
SNL	0.927	1.0	-0.643	0.927	0.904-0.950	75
ED	0.676	1.0	-0.460	0.983	0.648-0.703	75
EP	-0.001	0.0	0.721	0.000	-0.05-0.05	75
BD	1.069	1.0	-0.565	0.993	1.056-1.077	455

Hephaestus jenkinsi

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.574	1.0	-0.988	0.926	1.478-1.671	80
ML	1.054	1.0	-1.075	0.975	1.022-1.086	119
MW	1.150	1.0	-1.261	0.985	1.107-1.192	72
HDL	0.945	1.0	-0.363	0.992	0.919-0.970	72
SNL	0.919	1.0	-0.610	0.985	0.89-0.952	72
EyeD	0.701	1.0	-0.500	0.969	0.644-0.738	72
EyePos	-0.022	0.0	0.750	0.010	-0.08-0.04	72
BD	1.046	1.0	-0.519	0.993	1.029-1.064	102

Hephaestus tulliensis

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
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IL	1.766	1.0	-1.295	0.780	1.291-2.241	16
ML	0.940	1.0	-0.906	0.903	0.772-1.108	19
MW	1.104	1.0	-1.225	0.909	0.883-1.325	19
HDL	0.856	1.0	-0.216	0.957	0.735-0.978	19
SNL	0.921	1.0	-0.725	0.946	0.779-1.062	19
ED	0.580	1.0	-0.198	0.806	0.391-0.769	19
EP	-0.285	0.0	1.242	0.341	-0.549-0.02	19
BD	0.953	1.0	-0.280	0.965	0.851-1.056	19

Leiopotherapon aheneus

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.806	1.0	-1.123	0.943	1.650-1.962	34
ML	0.996	1.0	-1.007	0.975	0.945-1.047	41
MW	1.221	1.0	-1.384	0.942	1.116-1.326	41
HDL	1.042	1.0	-0.569	0.977	0.985-1.099	41
SNL	1.093	1.0	-1.003	0.975	1.032-1.155	41
ED	0.696	1.0	-0.503	0.918	0.623-0.770	41
EP	0.192	0.0	0.347	0.210	-0.06-0.324	41
BD	1.033	1.0	-0.481	0.985	0.995-1.074	48

Leiopotherapon unicolor

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.252	1.0	-0.572	0.936	1.223-1.280	479
ML	1.187	1.0	-1.315	0.960	1.169-1.204	709
MW	1.283	1.0	-1.511	0.977	1.228-1.339	75
HDL	0.955	1.0	-0.405	0.996	0.938-0.972	75
SNL	0.934	1.0	-0.728	0.991	0.909-0.958	75
ED	0.637	1.0	-0.402	0.958	0.599-0.676	75
EP	0.078	0.0	0.590	0.158	-0.026-0.129	75
BD	0.970	1.0	-0.423	0.958	0.955-0.986	511

Mesopristes argenteus

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.257	1.0	-1.183	0.952	1.177-1.346	13
ML	0.991	1.0	-0.937	0.969	0.890-1.092	17
MW	1.164	1.0	-1.320	0.961	0.992-1.337	17
HDL	1.021	1.0	-0.533	0.993	0.958-1.08	17
SNL	0.988	1.0	-0.740	0.993	0.926-1.050	17
ED	0.743	1.0	-0.501	0.951	0.616-0.871	17
EP	-0.040	0.0	0.740	0.047	-0.176-0.096	17
BD	1.014	1.0	-0.419	0.994	0.968-1.060	17

Pingalla gilberti

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
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IL	1.470	1.0	-0.625	0.676	1.146-1.794	30
ML	0.819	1.0	-0.825	0.932	0.744-0.893	36
MW	1.120	1.0	-1.309	0.920	0.999-1.242	36
HDL	0.910	1.0	-0.363	0.984	0.886-0.954	36
SNL	1.050	1.0	-0.892	0.973	0.985-1.114	36
ED	0.744	1.0	-0.608	0.958	0.686-0.802	36
EP	0.050	0.0	0.607	0.029	-0.058-0.159	36
BD	1.008	1.0	-0.496	0.970	0.946-1.071	36

Pingalla lorentzi

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.316	1.0	-0.324	0.913	1.042-1.591	12
ML	0.921	1.0	-0.966	0.983	0.837-1.005	12
MW	1.236	1.0	-1.442	0.973	1.035-1.437	12
HDL	0.919	1.0	-0.367	0.994	0.85-0.987	12
SNL	1.019	1.0	-0.867	0.989	0.912-1.126	12
ED	0.530	1.0	-0.182	0.910	0.363-0.696	12
EP	0.106	0.0	0.464	0.402	-0.02-0.234	12
BD	1.148	1.0	-0.642	0.986	1.052-1.244	12

Pingalla midgleyi

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	2.256	1.0	-1.797	0.924	-5.634-10.147	3
ML	0.891	1.0	-0.990	0.995	0.068-1.714	3
MW	1.457	1.0	-1.865	0.995	0.153-2.761	3
HDL	0.804	1.0	-0.212	0.999	0.64-0.968	3
SNL	0.631	1.0	-0.271	0.974	-0.654-1.916	3
EyeD	0.680	1.0	-0.542	0.999	0.397-0.962	3
EyePos	-0.831	0.0	2.107	0.962	-2.92-1.263	3
BD	0.873	1.0	-0.225	1.000	0.723-1.021	3

Scortum ogilbyi

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.626	1.0	-0.817	0.884	1.501-1.752	80
ML	0.775	1.0	-0.613	0.975	0.753-0.798	120
MW	0.942	1.0	-0.862	0.982	0.901-0.987	70
HDL	0.848	1.0	-0.229	0.988	0.835-0.861	70
SNL	0.843	1.0	-0.577	0.994	0.822-0.865	70
ED	0.656	1.0	-0.471	0.760	0.623-0.689	70
EP	-0.024	0.0	0.665	0.014	-0.089-0.041	70
BD	1.038	1.0	-0.478	0.987	1.016-1.059	70

Scortum parviceps

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
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IL	1.681	1.0	-0.931	0.976	1.599-1.763	74
ML	0.876	1.0	-0.872	0.984	0.850-0.903	73
MW	1.022	1.0	-1.065	0.993	0.993-1.052	70
HDL	0.915	1.0	-0.366	0.998	0.902-0.928	70
SNL	0.897	1.0	-0.665	0.992	0.869-0.925	70
ED	0.593	1.0	-0.353	0.949	0.545-0.641	70
EP	0.008	0.0	0.597	0.003	-0.04-0.056	70
BD	1.104	1.0	-0.651	0.992	1.081-1.128	73

Syncomistes butleri

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.560	1.0	-0.714	0.956	1.494-1.627	97
ML	0.995	1.0	-1.038	0.983	0.969-1.02	109
MW	0.998	1.0	-1.039	0.966	0.943-1.054	70
HDL	0.873	1.0	-0.281	0.993	0.851-0.895	70
SNL	0.869	1.0	-0.556	0.988	0.841-0.899	70
ED	0.674	1.0	-0.519	0.957	0.63-0.717	70
EP	-0.079	0.0	0.781	0.082	-0.16-0.01	70
BD	1.096	1.0	-0.604	0.987	1.072-1.121	109

Syncomistes rastellus

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.938	1.0	-1.373	0.777	1.249-2.628	13
ML	1.007	1.0	-1.095	0.942	0.846-1.167	13
MW	1.126	1.0	-1.277	0.987	1.012-1.241	13
HDL	0.914	1.0	-0.380	0.996	0.863-0.965	13
SNL	0.884	1.0	-0.581	0.997	0.840-0.928	13
ED	0.648	1.0	-0.491	0.971	0.547-0.748	13
EP	0.086	0.0	0.475	0.200	-0.07-0.24	13
BD	1.100	1.0	-0.639	0.990	1.027-1.172	13

Syncomistes trigonicus

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	2.356	1.0	-2.042	0.948	2.155-2.557	32
ML	1.160	1.0	-1.338	0.979	1.099-1.221	35
MW	1.086	1.0	-1.187	0.986	1.002-1.171	30
HDL	0.962	1.0	-0.483	0.996	0.921-1.002	30
SNL	1.120	1.0	-1.058	0.991	1.051-1.189	30
ED	0.464	1.0	-0.181	0.949	0.393-0.535	30
EP	0.108	0.0	0.508	0.186	-0.04-0.258	30
BD	1.078	1.0	-0.645	0.979	1.021-1.135	34

Terapon jarbua

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
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IL	1.201	1.0	-0.348	0.905	1.008-1.394	31
ML	0.932	1.0	-0.786	0.950	0.872-0.992	51
MW	1.089	1.0	-1.033	0.994	1.026-1.152	35
HDL	0.702	1.0	0.018	0.995	0.663-0.74	35
SNL	0.912	1.0	-0.682	0.978	0.810-1.013	35
ED	0.717	1.0	-0.563	0.956	0.600-0.834	35
EP	0.047	0.0	0.621	0.099	-0.06-0.154	35
BD	1.007	1.0	-0.470	0.966	0.955-1.059	53

Varrichthys lacustris

Variable	b	Isometry	Const	r ²	Confidence limits	n
IL	1.409	1.0	-1.359	0.939	1.301-1.917	11
ML	1.099	1.0	-1.308	0.980	0.982-1.216	11
MW	1.367	1.0	-1.789	0.901	1.043-1.69	11
HDL	0.846	1.0	-0.228	0.980	0.755-0.936	11
SNL	0.860	1.0	-0.603	0.959	0.729-0.990	11
ED	0.577	1.0	-0.242	0.688	0.284-0.869	11
EP	-0.039	0.0	0.736	0.008	-0.372-0.299	11
BD	1.024	1.0	-0.433	0.977	0.906-1.141	11