

## Supplementary material

### **Potential effects of bycatch from the squat lobster fisheries in central Chile: a survey data approach**

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The following supporting material contains the additional analysis not presented in the methods session, but used to interpret and discuss the results.

## Discriminating species between two groups using Bray–Curtis dissimilarities

### SIMPER

*Similarity Percentages (SIMPER) ANALYSIS R output*

cumulative contributions of most influential species:

\$`3\_4`

MERGAY HIPMAC HETREE MACMAG MURGAU

0.4641459 0.5627922 0.6341746 0.6925294 0.7378915

\$`3\_1`

MURGAU MERGAY HIPMAC

0.3233337 0.6176709 0.7161951

\$`3\_2`

MURGAU MERGAY HIPMAC CANPOR

0.3830498 0.5518773 0.6689123 0.7219602

\$`4\_1`

MURGAU HIPMAC MERGAY CANPOR

0.4333520 0.5572023 0.6469885 0.7000863

\$`4\_2`

MURGAU MERGAY HIPMAC CANPOR

0.3781922 0.5881231 0.6965071 0.7532640

\$`1\_2`

MERGAY HIPMAC MURGAU CANPOR COEACO TRAHEL

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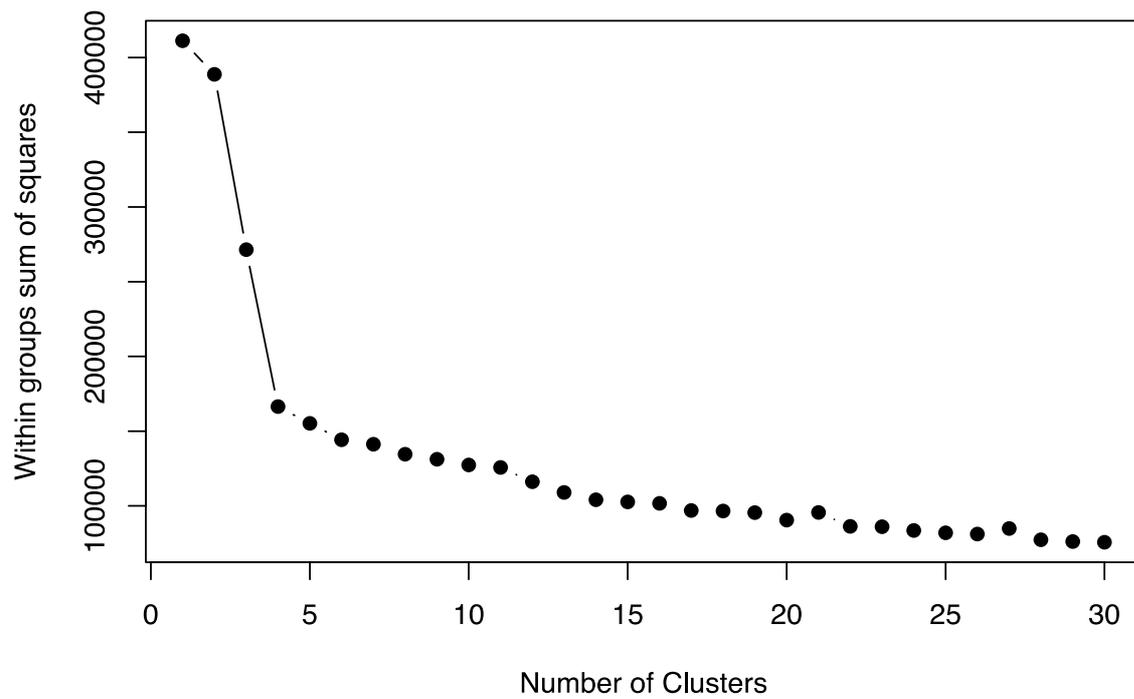
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Raw frequency of occurrence (FRO) of main species per group:

**Table S1. Species data used for the study with its respective taxonomic group, abbreviation, scientific name and frequency of occurrence (FRO)**

Taxonomic group	Abbreviation	Scientific name	FRO
Osteichthyes	MERGAY	<i>Merluccius gayi</i>	99.98
Crustacea	MURGAU	<i>Mursia gaudichaudi</i>	99.98
Osteichthyes	HIPMAC	<i>Hippoglossina macrops</i>	49.87
Crustacea	CANPOR	<i>Cancer porteri</i>	21.84
Crustacea	HETREE	<i>Heterocarpus reedi</i>	17.3
Chondrichthyes	COEACO	<i>Coelorinchus aconcagua</i>	15.78
Osteichthyes	EPICRA	<i>Epigonus crassicaudus</i>	10.88
Chondrichthyes	TRAHEL	<i>Trachyrinchus helolepis</i>	9.53
Mollusca	OCTSP	<i>Octopus</i> sp.	8.85
Osteichthyes	COECHI	<i>Coelorinchus chilensis</i>	8.42
Osteichthyes	NEZPUL	<i>Nezumia pulchella</i>	7.7
Osteichthyes	MACMAG	<i>Macruronus magellanicus</i>	7.68
Osteichthyes	OPHPAC	<i>Ophichthus pacifici</i>	5.74
Chondrichthyes	PSASCO	<i>Psammobatis scobina</i>	5.47
Crustacea	LIBGRA	<i>Libidoclaea granaria</i>	4.77
Chondrichthyes	HEXGRI	<i>Hexanchus griseus</i>	4.65
Chondrichthyes	DIPFLA	<i>Dipturus flavirostris</i>	4.61
Osteichthyes	GENMAC	<i>Genypterus maculatus</i>	4.32
Crustacea	LOPPAR	<i>Lophorochinia parabranchia</i>	3.35
Chondrichthyes	HALCAN	<i>Halaelurus canescens</i>	3.02
Mollusca	DOSGIG	<i>Doscidiscus gigas</i>	2.72
Chondrichthyes	BATMUL	<i>Bathyraja multispinis</i>	2.65
Chondrichthyes	CENCRE	<i>Centroscymnus crepidater</i>	2.65
Crustacea	HALDIO	<i>Haliporoides diomedea</i>	2.56
Chondrichthyes	DEACAL	<i>Deania calcea</i>	2.43
Osteichthyes	EPTPOL	<i>Eptatretus polytrema</i>	2.1
Crustacea	PARGRA	<i>Paralomis granulata</i>	1.81
Osteichthyes	POLPOL	<i>Polystotrema polytrema</i>	1.77
Chondrichthyes	ACUNIG	<i>Aculeola nigra</i>	1.68
Crustacea	PTEARM	<i>Pterygosquilla armata</i>	1.57
Mollusca	BENSP	<i>Benthoctopus</i> sp.	1.54
Osteichthyes	TRAVIL	<i>Trachyrinchus villegai</i>	1.44
Chondrichthyes	DIPTRA	<i>Dipturus trachyderma</i>	1.41
Osteichthyes	GENBLA	<i>Genypterus blacodes</i>	1.41
Mollusca	OPISP	<i>Opisthoteuthis</i> sp.	1.34
Osteichthyes	PROJUG	<i>Prolatilus jugularis</i>	1.19
Mollusca	OCTMIM	<i>Octopus mimus</i>	1.04
Chondrichthyes	CENNIG	<i>Centroscyllium nigrum</i>	0.8
Crustacea	GLYALA	<i>Glyphocrangon alata</i>	0.79
Crustacea	CANEDW	<i>Cancer edwarsi</i>	0.71
Osteichthyes	CALCAL	<i>Callorhynchus callorhynchus</i>	0.68
Chondrichthyes	DISTSC	<i>Discopyge tschudii</i>	0.64
Osteichthyes	GENCHI	<i>Genypterus chilensis</i>	0.55
Crustacea	LIBSMI	<i>Libidoclaea smithii</i>	0.51
Crustacea	HEPCHI	<i>Hepatus chilensis</i>	0.49
Chondrichthyes	RAJBRE	<i>Raja brevicaudata</i>	0.48
Osteichthyes	PACSUS	<i>Pachycara suspectum</i>	0.44
Mollusca	AENSP	<i>Aeneator</i> sp.	0.4
Mollusca	OCTVUL	<i>Octopus vulgaris</i>	0.35
Osteichthyes	SEBCAP	<i>Sebastes capensis</i>	0.35
Chondrichthyes	TORTRE	<i>Torpedo tremens</i>	0.35
Chondrichthyes	CENSP	<i>Centroscyllium</i> sp.	0.33
Crustacea	ESTOMATOPODA	ESTOMATOPODA	0.33
Chondrichthyes	RAJSP	<i>Raja</i> sp.	0.31
Chondrichthyes	ETMGRA	<i>Etmopterus granulosus</i>	0.29
Chondrichthyes	RHIMUL	<i>Rhinoraja multispinis</i>	0.29
Osteichthyes	APHPOR	<i>Aphos porosus</i>	0.26

Taxonomic group	Abbreviation	Scientific name	FRO
Osteichthyes	BONITO	<i>Sarda chiliensis</i>	0.24
Crustacea	CANCOR	<i>Cancer coronatus</i>	0.22
Mollusca	LOLGAH	<i>Loligo gahi</i>	0.2
Mollusca	ACESP	<i>Acesta</i> sp.	0.18
Crustacea	PROBAH	<i>Projasus bahamondei</i>	0.18
Osteichthyes	COEFAS	<i>Coelorinchus fasciatus</i>	0.16
Mollusca	GASTROPODA	<i>Gastropoda</i>	0.16
Osteichthyes	GEOAUS	<i>Geotria australis</i>	0.16
Osteichthyes	CAECHI	<i>Coelorinchus chilensis</i>	0.15
Osteichthyes	CHEEMM	<i>Cherublemma emmelas</i>	0.15
Osteichthyes	PARMIC	<i>Paralichthys microps</i>	0.15
Osteichthyes	CATSP	<i>Cataetys</i> sp.	0.13
Porifera	PORIFERA	<i>Porifera</i>	0.13
Osteichthyes	TRAMUR	<i>Trachurus murphyi</i>	0.13
Osteichthyes	ALESP	<i>Alepocephalus</i> sp.	0.11
Osteichthyes	OPHSP	<i>Ophichthus</i> sp.	0.11
Chondrichthyes	SYMBRE	<i>Sympterygia brevicaudata</i>	0.11
Mollusca	ACEPAT	<i>Acesta patagonica</i>	0.09
Holoturoideo	ATHCHI	<i>Athionidium chilensis</i>	0.09
Chondrichthyes	DIPCHI	<i>Dipturus chilensis</i>	0.09
Chondrichthyes	SCHCHI	<i>Schroederichthys chilensis</i>	0.09
Osteichthyes	AUSMAR	<i>Austrophycis marginatus</i>	0.07
Mollusca	BATHUM	<i>Bathybembix humboldti</i>	0.07
Chondrichthyes	BATPER	<i>Bathyraja peruana</i>	0.07
Chondrichthyes	CENGRA	<i>Centroscyllium granulatum</i>	0.07
Osteichthyes	HELLEN	<i>Helicolenus lengerichi</i>	0.07
Porifera	SPONGI	<i>Esponja</i> spp.	0.07
Osteichthyes	BERSPL	<i>Beryx splendens</i>	0.06
Chondrichthyes	APIOS	<i>Apristurus</i> sp.	0.05
Crustacea	LITSP	<i>Lithodes</i> sp.	0.05
Cnidarios	SCYPHOZOA	<i>Scyphozoa</i> sp.	0.05
Cnidarios	ACTSP	<i>Actinia</i> sp.	0.04
Osteichthyes	BASALB	<i>Bassanago albescens</i>	0.04
Crustacea	HETVIC	<i>Heterocarpus vicarius</i>	0.04
Osteichthyes	NOTSIX	<i>Notacanthus sixpinnis</i>	0.04
Chondrichthyes	ZEACHI	<i>Zearaja chilensis</i>	0.04
Equinodermos	ASTSP	<i>Aster</i> sp.	0.02
Osteichthyes	BERSPL.1	<i>Beryx splendens</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	BRAAUS	<i>Brama australis</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	CILGIL	<i>Cilus gilberti</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	CONPER	<i>Congiopodus peruvianus</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	EPTON	<i>Eptatretus</i> sp.	0.02
Mollusca	LIMMAR	<i>Limopsis marionensis</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	NOTMAR	<i>Notophycis marginata</i>	0.02
Crustacea	PARLON	<i>Paralomis longipes</i>	0.02
Crustacea	STESUH	<i>Stereomastis suhmi</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	STRSTE	<i>Stromateus stellatus</i>	0.02
Osteichthyes	TALAPH	<i>Talismania aphos</i>	0.02
Chondrichthyes	TOLLO_C	<i>Centroscygnus</i> sp.	0.02



**Fig. S1.** Groups identified by the 'elbow' method.

*k-means cluster analysis results*

Within cluster sum of squares by cluster:

[1] 6791.942 ; 7568.575 ; 9274.197 ; 6351.963

(between\_SS / total\_SS = 89.1%)

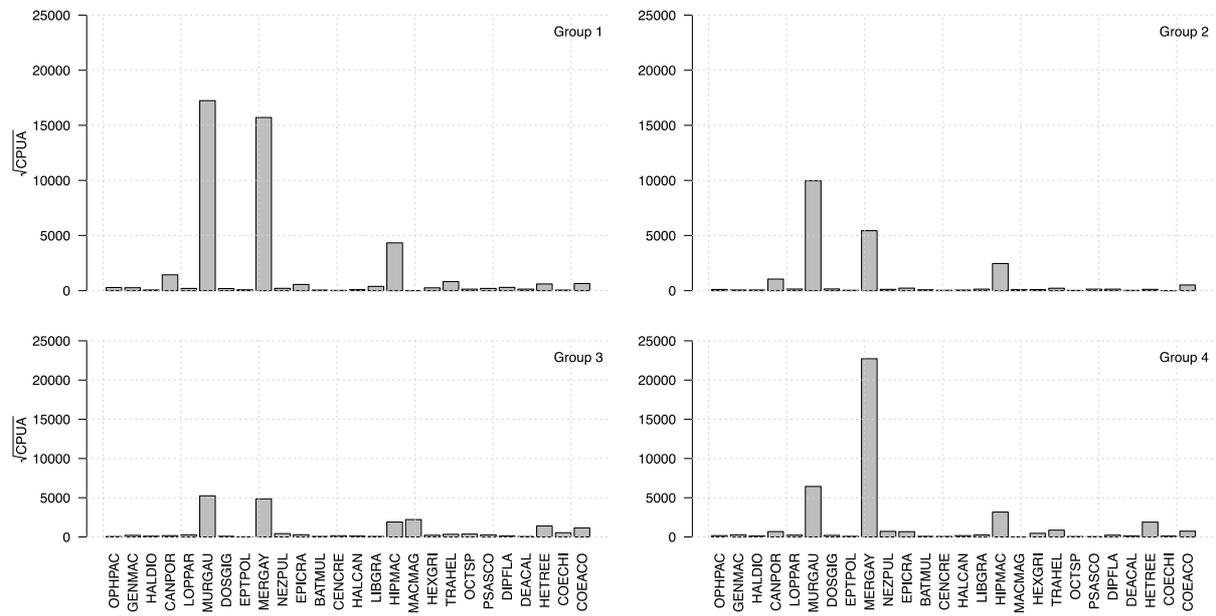
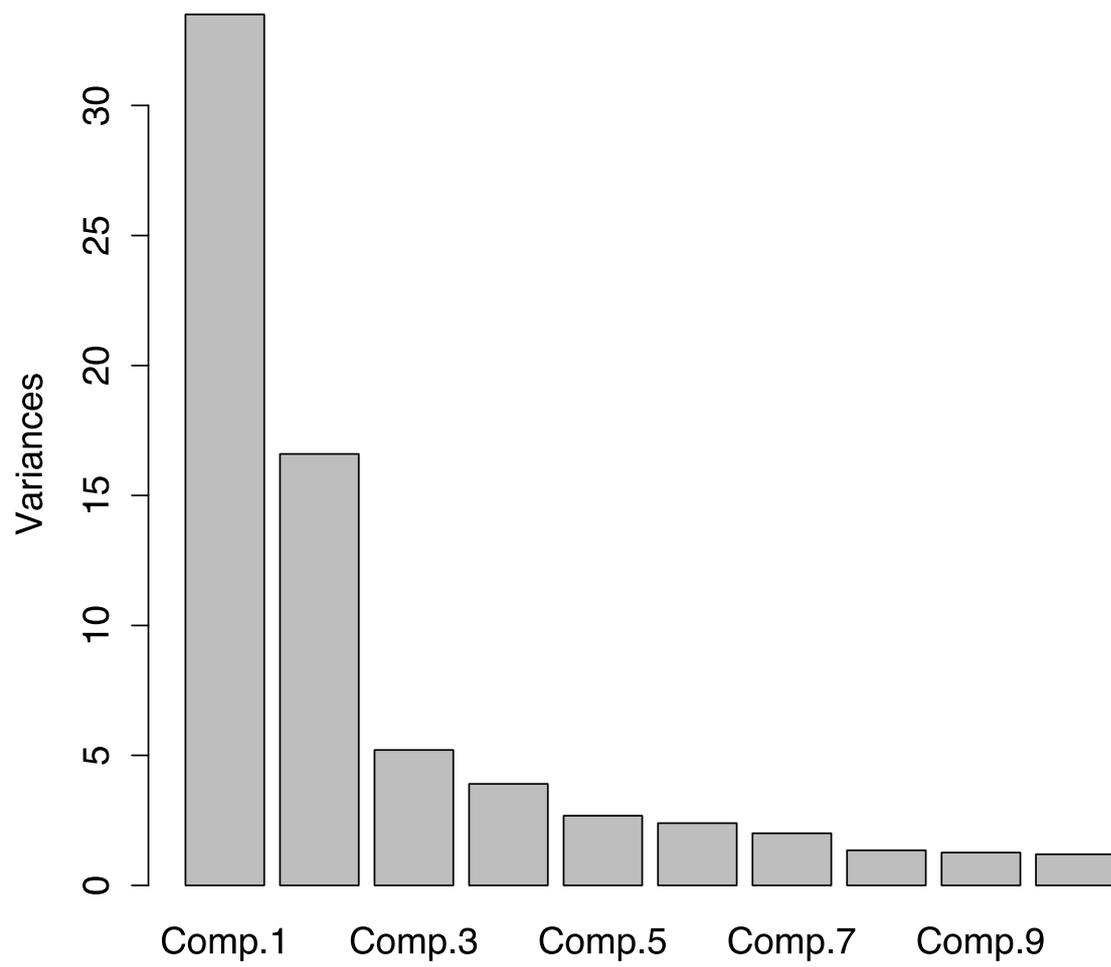


Fig. S2. PCA components explained variance.



**Fig. S3.** Cumulative CPUA per identified group for all species used for the analysis.