

Plant water potential improves prediction of empirical stomatal models

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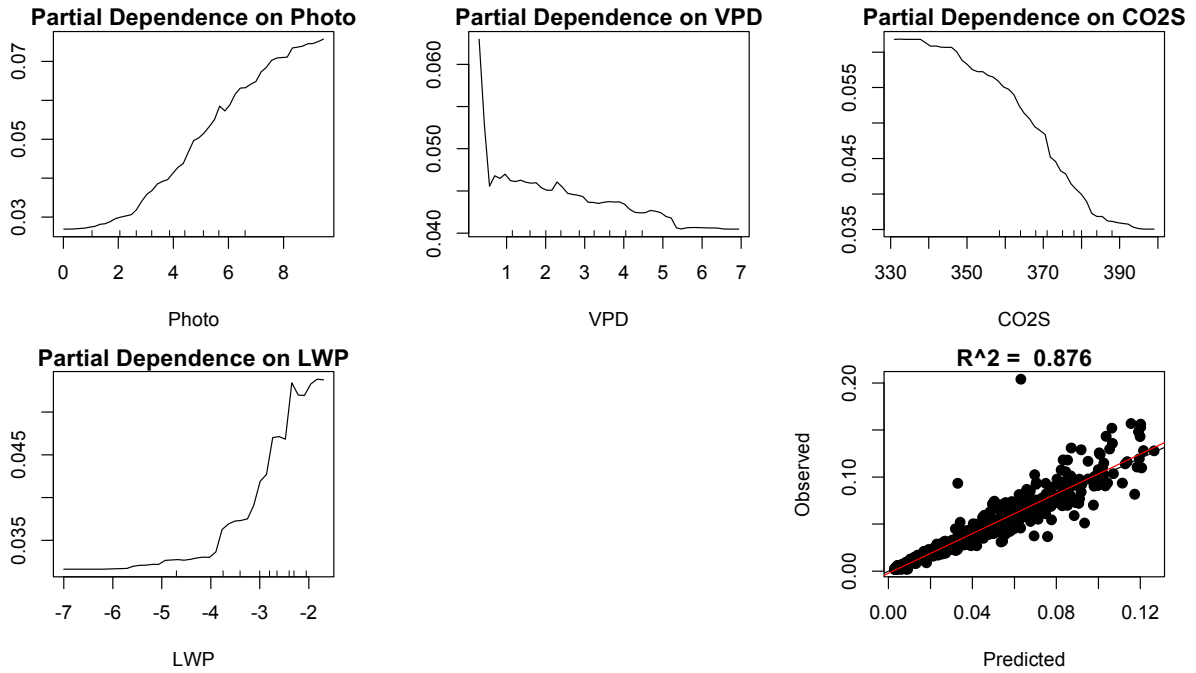
Table A: Species included in the analysis with their biome (needleleaf evergreen temperate (NET), broadleaf evergreen temperate (BET), broadleaf deciduous temperate (BDT), tropical deciduous (TPD), and tropical evergreen (TPE), sample size (N), and the reference study.

Species name	N	Biome	Reference
<i>Acer campestre</i>	41	BDT	(Li <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Acer pseudoplatanus</i>	39	BDT	(Li <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	173	TPE	(Choat <i>et al.</i> , 2006)
<i>Anacardium excelsum</i>	14	TPD	(Meinzer <i>et al.</i> , 2004)
<i>Annona hayesii</i>	46	TPD	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Astronium graveolens</i>	338	TPE	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Austromyrtus bidwillii</i>	35	TPE	(Choat <i>et al.</i> , 2006)
<i>Brachychiton australis</i>	100	TPD	(Choat <i>et al.</i> , 2006)
<i>Bursera simaruba</i>	104	TPD	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Carpinus betulus</i>	48	BDT	(Li <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Cavanillesia platanifolia</i>	41	TPD	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Cochlospermum gillivraei</i>	75	TPD	(Choat <i>et al.</i> , 2006)
<i>Cojoba rufescens</i>	319	TPE	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Cordia alliodora</i>	18	TPD	(Meinzer <i>et al.</i> , 2004)
<i>Corylus avellana</i>	35	BDT	(Li <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Eucalyptus globulus</i>	73	BET	Hernandez <i>et al.</i> 2016
<i>Ficus insipida</i>	14	TPE	(Meinzer <i>et al.</i> , 2004)
<i>Fraxinus excelsior</i>	40	BDT	(Li <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Genipa americana</i>	109	TPD	(Wolfe <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Juniperus monosperma</i>	576	NET	(LIMOUSIN <i>et al.</i> , 2013)
<i>Juniperus osteosperma</i>	34	NET	(Koepke & Kolb, 2013)
<i>Phillyrea angustifolia</i>	17	BET	(Resco <i>et al.</i> , 2009)
<i>Picea abies</i>	544	NET	(Chmura <i>et al.</i> , 2016)
<i>Pinus edulis</i>	511	NET	(LIMOUSIN <i>et al.</i> , 2013)
<i>Pinus ponderosa</i>	146	NET	(Koepke & Kolb, 2013)
<i>Pistacia lentiscus</i>	23	BET	(Resco <i>et al.</i> , 2009)
<i>Populus balsamifora</i>	29	BDT	(Arango-Velez <i>et al.</i> , 2011)

<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	43	BDT	(Anderegg, 2012)
<i>Prosopis velutina</i>	23	BDT	(Lin <i>et al.</i> , 2015)
<i>Quercus douglasii</i>	166	BET	(Xu & Baldocchi, 2003)
<i>Quercus gambelii</i>	12	BDT	(Koepke & Kolb, 2013)
<i>Quercus ilex</i>	110	BET	(Martin-StPaul <i>et al.</i> , 2012)
<i>Schefflera morototoni</i>	19	TPE	(Meinzer <i>et al.</i> , 2004)
<i>Tapirira guianensis</i>	33	TPE	(Meinzer <i>et al.</i> , 2004)

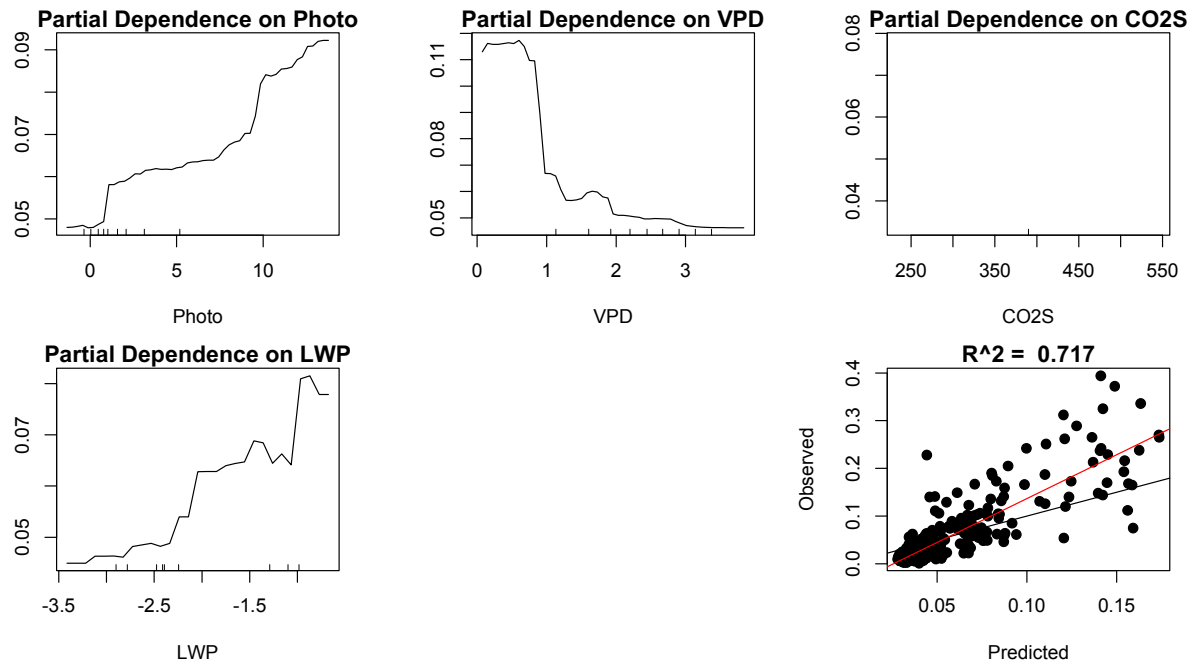
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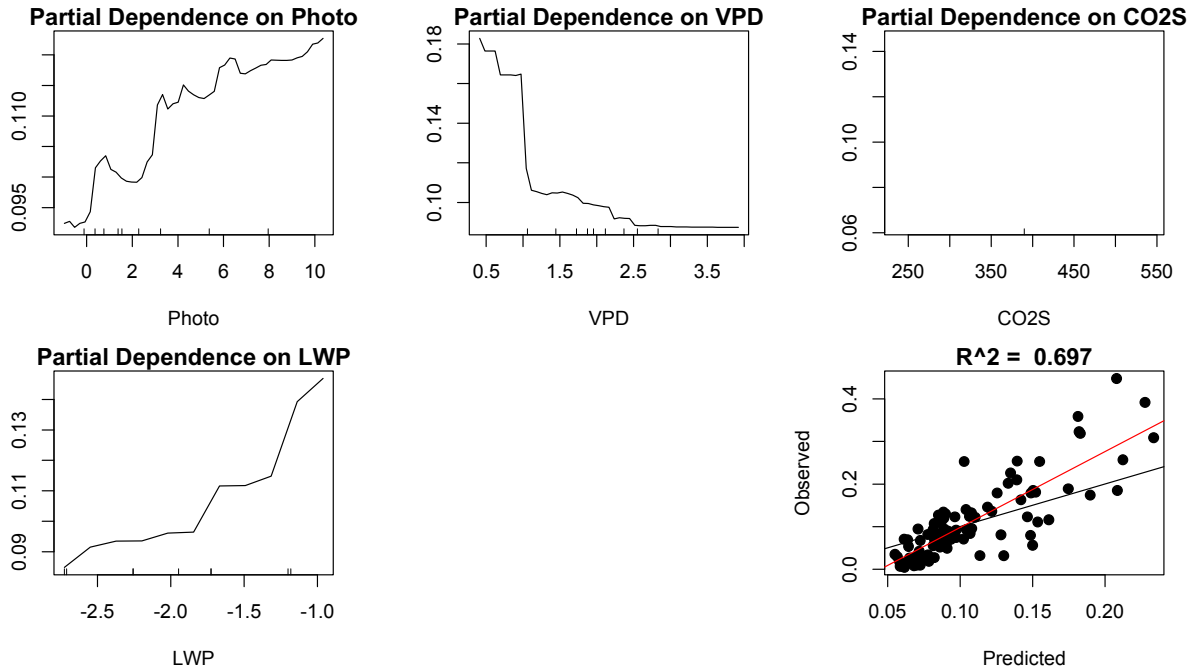
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28 Figure A: Partial dependencies of stomatal conductance (note that Y-axes are unitless because
29 they are model-dependent) on photosynthesis (Photo; $\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$), vapor pressure
30 deficit (VPD; kPa), CO_2 concentration (CO2S; ppm) and leaf water potential (LWP;
31 MPa) from the RandomForest model for *Juniperus monosperma* as an example species.
32 Lower right indicates the predicted versus observed plot of stomatal conductance when
33 comparing to out-of-bag predictions – R^2 of 0.876.



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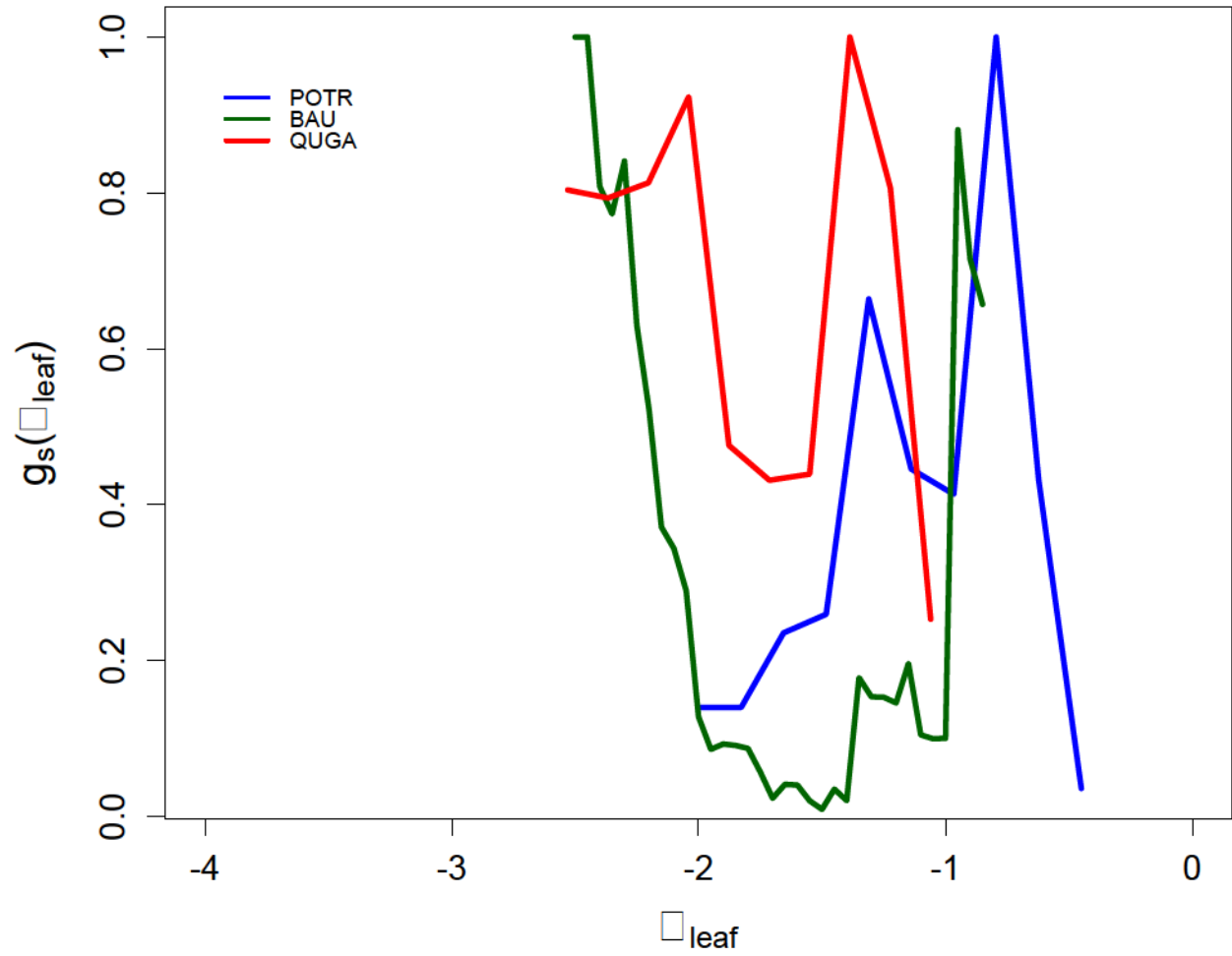
35 Figure B: Partial dependencies of stomatal conductance (note that Y-axes are unitless because
 36 they are model-dependent) on photosynthesis (Photo; $\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$), vapor pressure
 37 deficit (VPD; kPa), CO₂ concentration (CO2S; ppm) and leaf water potential (LWP;
 38 MPa) from the RandomForest model for *Astronium graveolens* as an example species
 39 (note this species experienced no variation in CO₂ concentration). Lower right indicates
 40 the predicted versus observed plot of stomatal conductance when comparing to out-of-
 41 bag predictions – R^2 of 0.717.



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43 Figure C: Partial dependencies of stomatal conductance (note that Y-axes are unitless because
 44 they are model-dependent) on photosynthesis (Photo; $\mu\text{mol}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}\cdot\text{s}^{-1}$), vapor pressure
 45 deficit (VPD; kPa), CO₂ concentration (CO₂S; ppm) and leaf water potential (LWP;
 46 MPa) from the RandomForest model for *Genipa americana* as an example species (note
 47 this species experienced no variation in CO₂ concentration). Lower right indicates the
 48 predicted versus observed plot of stomatal conductance when comparing to out-of-bag
 49 predictions – R² of 0.697.

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52 Figure D: Partial dependency of stomatal conductance on leaf water potential for three species in
 53 which the functional form was uninterpretable. Species are: *Populus tremuloides*
 54 (POTR), *Brachychiton australis* (BAU), and *Quercus gambelii* (QUGA).

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