

## SUPPLEMENTARY

Supplementary table S1: Network level statistics for Tom Thumb in the sentinel experiment, comparing observed values to the 95% confidence limits from the null model and including the standardised effect size (SES).

| Insect guild | Metric               | observed | Null   | Lower.CL | Upper.CL | Test   | SES      |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Aphids       | Weighted nestedness  | -0.643   | -0.373 | -0.432   | -0.307   | Lower  | -7.248   |
|              | Linkage density      | 2.706    | 3.040  | 3.035    | 3.044    | Lower  | -103.743 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.338    | 0.380  | 0.379    | 0.380    | Lower  | -103.743 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.723    | 0.817  | 0.816    | 0.819    | Higher | -114.169 |
| Parasitoids  | Weighted nestedness  | -0.005   | -0.834 | -0.950   | -0.735   | Higher | 11.991   |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.772    | 4.330  | 4.258    | 4.372    | Lower  | -15.171  |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.377    | 0.433  | 0.425    | 0.437    | Lower  | -15.171  |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.775    | 0.922  | 0.910    | 0.929    | Lower  | -23.15   |
| Predators    | Weighted nestedness  | 0.736    | 0.300  | -0.071   | 0.621    | Higher | 1.886    |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.966    | 4.398  | 4.210    | 4.592    | Lower  | -3.577   |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.360    | 0.399  | 0.382    | 0.417    | Lower  | -3.577   |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.902    | 0.930  | 0.914    | 0.945    | Lower  | -2.368   |

Supplementary table S2: Network-level statistics for Little Gem in the sentinel experiment, comparing observed values to the 95% confidence limits from the null model and including the standardised effect size (SES).

| Insect guild | Metric               | observed | Null   | Lower.CL | Upper.CL | Test   | SES     |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|---------|
| Aphids       | Weighted nestedness  | 0.323    | -0.310 | 0.428    | 0.189    | Higher | 2.775   |
|              | Linkage density      | 2.468    | 2.742  | 2.734    | 2.747    | Lower  | -57.652 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.308    | 0.342  | 0.341    | 0.3434   | Lower  | -57.652 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.773    | 0.745  | 0.741    | 0.758    | Higher | 4.638   |
| Parasitoids  | Weighted nestedness  | 0.317    | -0.189 | -0.644   | 0.295    | Higher | 1.254   |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.751    | 4.093  | 3.931    | 4.166    | Lower  | -4.417  |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.375    | 0.409  | 0.393    | 0.416    | Lower  | -4.417  |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.852    | 0.893  | 0.871    | 0.908    | Lower  | -3.58   |
| Predators    | Weighted nestedness  | 0.414    | 0.458  | -0.231   | 0.846    | ns     | -0.126  |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.500    | 4.206  | 3.799    | 4.556    | Lower  | -2.736  |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.318    | 0.382  | 0.345    | 0.414    | Lower  | -2.736  |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.905    | 0.950  | 0.931    | 0.963    | Lower  | -4.179  |

Supplementary Table S3: Network-level statistics for Tom Thumb plants in the established aphid colony experiment, comparing observed values to the 95% confidence limits from the null model and including the standardised effect size (SES).

| Insect guild | Metric               | observed | Null   | Lower.CL | Upper.CL | Test   | SES    |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|--------|
| Parasitoids  | Weighted nestedness  | 0.472    | -0.56  | -0.356   | 0.154    | Higher | 3.266  |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.136    | 3.465  | 3.337    | 3.555    | Lower  | -4.547 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.392    | 0.433  | 0.417    | 0.444    | Lower  | -4.547 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.902    | 0.908  | 0.877    | 0.927    | ns     | -0.403 |
| Predators    | Weighted nestedness  | 0.161    | -0.010 | -0.385   | 0.213    | ns     | 0.803  |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.237    | 3.622  | 3.518    | 3.714    | Lower  | -5.275 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.404    | 0.452  | 0.439    | 0.464    | Lower  | -5.275 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.901    | 0.938  | 0.918    | 0.956    | Lower  | -2.830 |

Supplementary Table S4: Network-level statistics for Little Gem plants in the established aphid colony experiment, comparing observed values to the 95% confidence limits from the null model and including the standardised effect size (SES).

| Insect guild | Metric               | observed | Null   | Lower.CL | Upper.CL | Test   | SES    |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|--------|
| Parasitoids  | Weighted nestedness  | 0.853    | -0.382 | -0.636   | 0.226    | Higher | 4.316  |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.238    | 3.525  | 3.438    | 3.589    | Lower  | -5.456 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.404    | 0.440  | 0.429    | 0.448    | Lower  | -5.456 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.889    | 0.914  | 0.888    | 0.936    | ns     | -1.612 |
| Predators    | Weighted nestedness  | 0.165    | -0.634 | -0.841   | -0.465   | Higher | 7.020  |
|              | Linkage density      | 3.105    | 3.475  | 3.362    | 3.568    | Lower  | -5.368 |
|              | Weighted connectance | 0.388    | 0.434  | 0.420    | 0.446    | Lower  | -5.368 |
|              | Interaction evenness | 0.822    | 0.903  | 0.870    | 0.926    | Lower  | -4.547 |