Eeraerts, Maxime et al. (2021), Dietary composition and overlap among small- and medium-sized carnivores in Flanders, Belgium, Dryad, Dataset, <https://doi.org/10.5061/dryad.6m905qfzs>

Read me accompanying the datasets on Dryad.

* **VanDenBerge\_Eeraerts.R**

R code for data analyses of the paper. Given the above-mentioned explanation of the excels, the comments in the R file and the explanation of data analyses in the manuscript this should be clear.

* **Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12.xlsx**

The carnivore-food type network constructed to determine the degree of complementary specialization. Network data was standardized to percentages, and analyses were performed with food type percentages.

Species = different carnivore species (Badger, Fox, Polecat, Stoat, Stone marten and Weasel)

EHW = edible household waste

Inv = invertebrates

Fruits = fruits

G.N = grains and nuts

Mush = mushrooms

Birds = birds

Eggs = bird eggs

Lagom = lagomorphs

Rodents = rodents

OtherM = other mammals

Amph = amphibians

Other.V = other vertebrates

* **Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12\_autumn.xlsx**
* **Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12\_spring.xlsx**
* **Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12\_summer.xlsx**
* **Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12\_winter.xlsx**

Similar files like “Bipartite\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12.xlsx”, but each file with data of a different season in the year.

* **Data\_smallmedium\_carnivores.xlsx**

Data of food items and their metadata. See table S4 of the manuscript for according genera included in the different food item classes. Columns contain the following information:

Species = different carnivore species (B = Badger, F = Fox, P = Polecat, S = Stoat, SM = Stone marten and W = Weasel)

Year = year of specimen collection

Month = month of specimen collection

Season = season of specimen collection

Richness = diet richness, number of different food types present in the stomach

AfCX = other waste, non-edible

AfKD = edible household waste

EvAn = invertebrates, earthworms

EvMo = invertebrates, slugs and snails

EvArCCa = invertebrates, ground beetles

EvArCGe = invertebrates, dung beetles

EvArCX = invertebrates, other beetles

EvArX = invertebrates, undertermined

EvArLX = invertebrates, other larvae

EvArLHy = invertebrates, hymenoptera larvae

EvArLLe = invertebrates, lepidoptera larvae

EvArLDi = invertebrates, diptera larvae

HeFPit = pome fruit

HeFSteen = stone fruit

HeFBes = berry fruit

HeFAndere = other fruit

HeG = grains

HeN = nuts

HeX = vegetative remains (i.e. moss, leaves, grass, etc.)

FuX = mushrooms

VeAvA = bird, ducks

VeAvC = bird, pigeons and doves

VeAvEOnbepaald = bird eggs, undetermined

VeAvEDuif = bird eggs, pigeons and doves

VeAvEZangvogel = bird eggs, songbirds

VeAvEKip = bird eggs, chickens

VeAvEFazant = bird eggs, pheasants and partridges

VeAvEHoender = bird eggs, other fowls

VeAvEEend = bird eggs, ducks

VeAvEGr = bird eggs, rails

VeAvGaKip = bird, chickens

VeAvGaFazant = bird, pheasants and partridges

VeAvGaAndere = bird, other fowls

VeAvGr = bird, rails

VeAvP = bird, songbirds

VeAvX = bird, undetermined

VeMaIEgel = other mammals, hedgehog

VeMaIMol = other mammals, mole

VeMaISpitsm = other mammals, shrews

VeMaLHaas = lagomorphs, hares

VeMaLKonijn = lagomorphs, rabbits

VeMaLOnbep = lagomorphs, undetermined

VeMaRX = rodents, undetermined

VeMaRMuMuis = rodents, true mice

VeMaRMuRat = rodents, rats

VeMaRArWoelmuis = rodents, voles

VeMaRArwoelr = rodents, water vole

VeMaRArMuskusr = rodents, muskrat

VeMaX = other mammals, undetermined

VeAmB = amphibians, toads

VeAmR = amphibians, frogs

VeAmX = amphibians, undetermined

VeX = other vertebrates

* **Data\_smallmedium\_carnivores\_12.xlsx**

Data of the main food items and their metadata. See table S4 of the manuscript for according genera included in the different food item classes. Columns contain the following information:

Species = different carnivore species (B = Badger, F = Fox, P = Polecat, S = Stoat, SM = Stone marten and W = Weasel)

Year = year of specimen collection

Month = month of specimen collection

Season = season of specimen collection

Richness = diet richness, number of different food types present in the stomach

HeX = vegetative remains (i.e. moss, leaves, grass, etc.)

AfCX = other waste, non-edible

AfKD = edible household waste

Ev = invertebrates

HeF = fruits

HeGN = grains and nuts

FuX = mushrooms

VeAv = birds

VeAvE = bird eggs

VeMaL = lagomorphs

VeMaR = rodents

VeMaX = other mammals

VeAm = amphibians

VeX = other vertebrates