Supplementary Material

What do nectarivorous bats like? Nectar composition in Bromeliaceae with special emphasis on bat-pollinated species

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**Supplementary Table S6:** Sugar-ratios in nectar of bromeliad species collected during fieldwork in Bolivia and Mexico or in botanical gardens in Germany. Data from field plants were derived from (Krömer et al., 2008) and data from greenhouse plants were derived from Supplementary Table S2 (this work).

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|  | **Field plants** | | **Greenhouse plants** | |
| **Species** | ***n*** | **Sucrose-to-hexoses ratio** | ***n*** | **Sucrose-to-hexoses ratio** |
| **chiropterophilus** | | | | |
| *Guzmania killipiana* | 1 | 0.6 | 3 | 0.4 ± 0.2 |
| *Tillandsia heterophylla* | 2 | 0.3 ± 0.0 | 3 | 0.3 ± 0.0 |
| *Tillandsia viridiflora (Pseudalcantarea viridiflora)* | 7 | 0.3 ± 0.1 | 3 | 0.5 ± 0.1 |
| *Werauhia nutans* | 5 | 0.6 ± 0.1 | 3 | 0.5 ± 0.2 |
| **trochilophilus** | | | | |
| *Guzmania melinonis* | 1 | 2.6 | 3 | 1.5 ± 0.2 |

**References**

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