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Starting point: AIM-COST action <https://www.aedescost.eu/>

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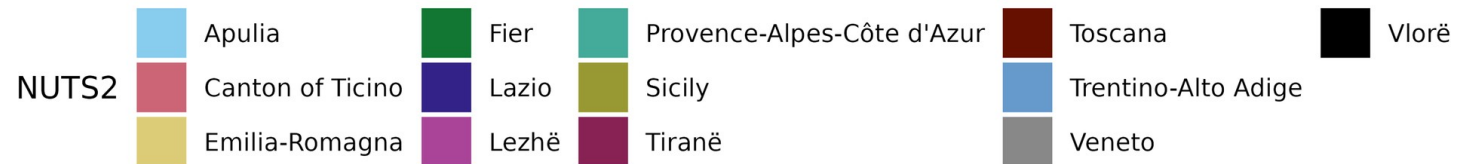
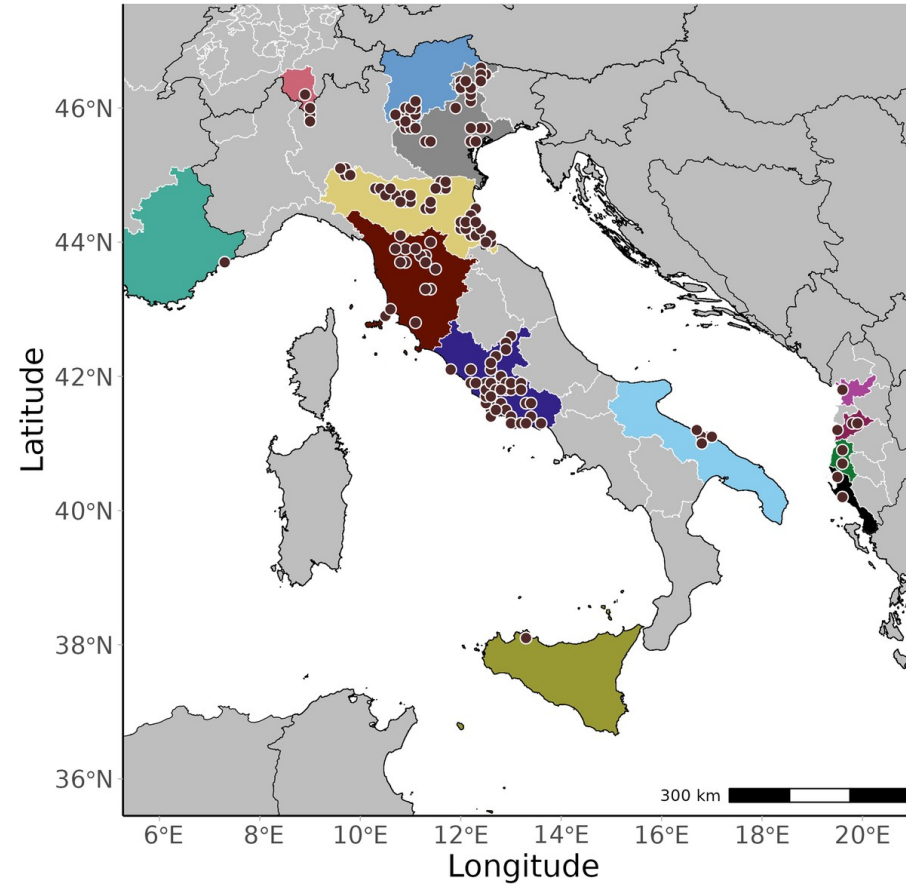
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# Data collection

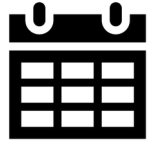


Individual Ovitrap: 2631  
Temporal coverage: 2010-2022



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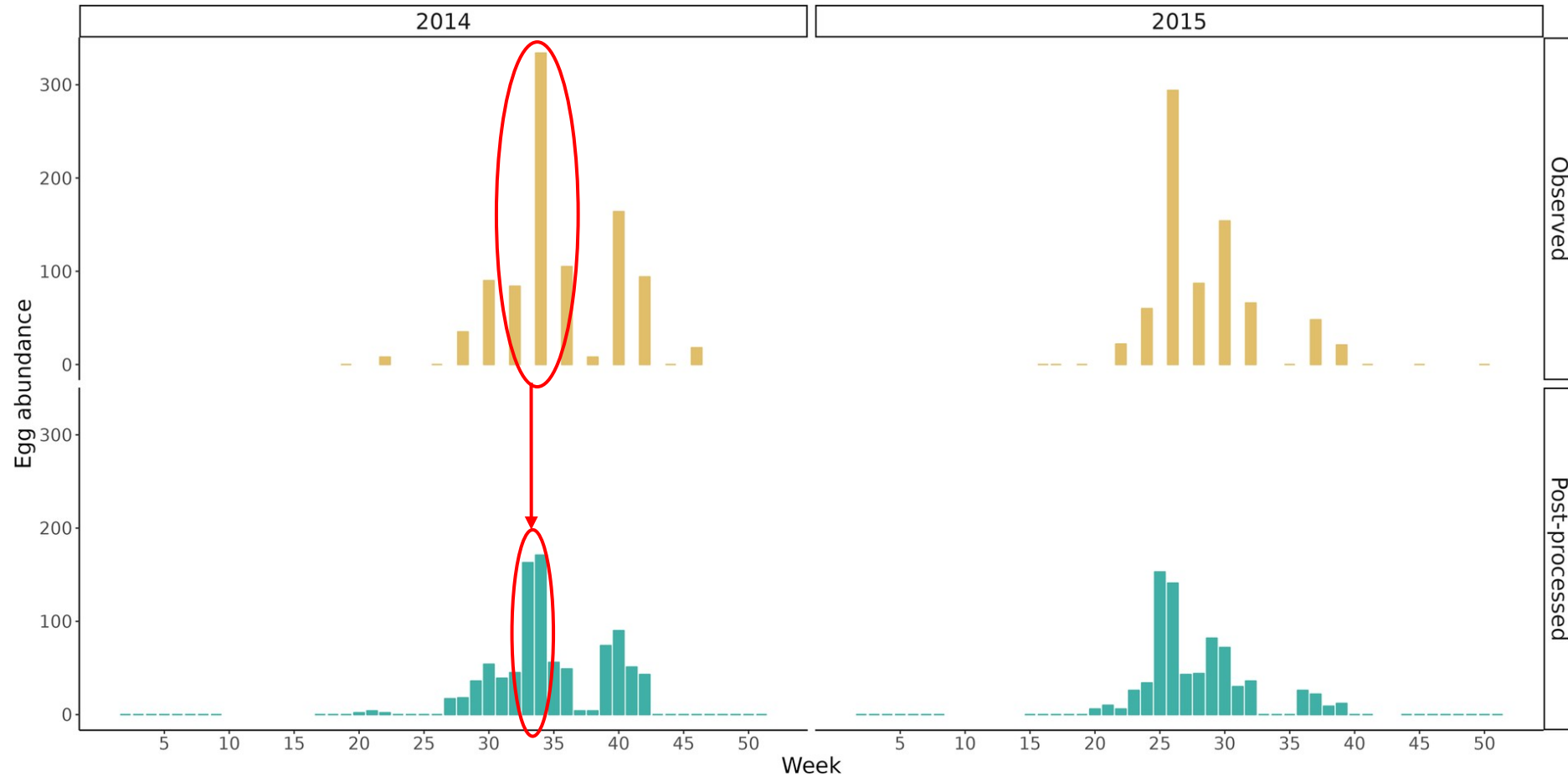


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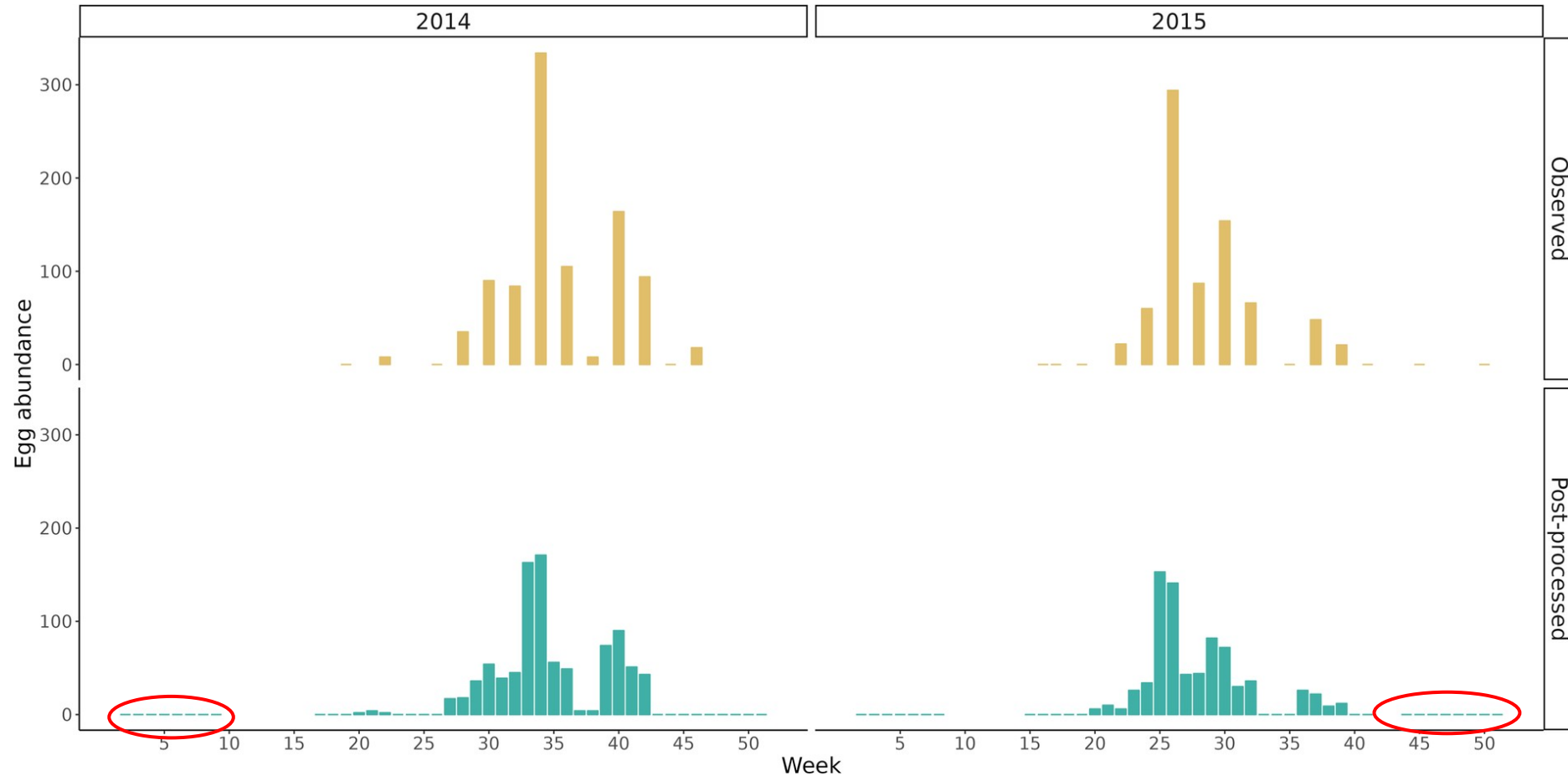


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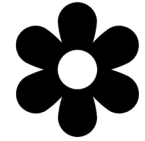


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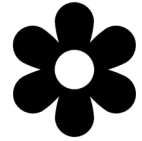


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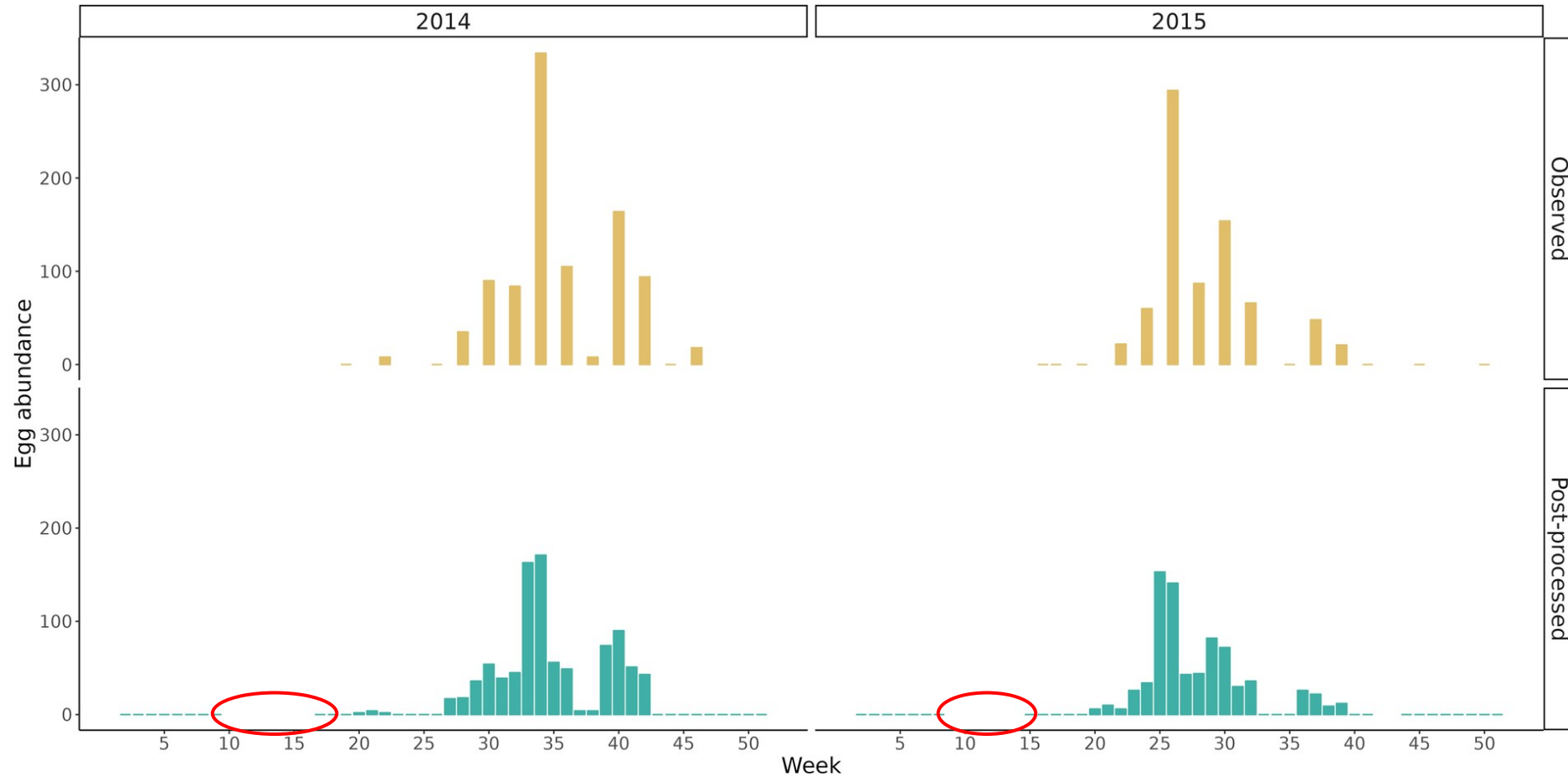


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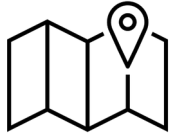
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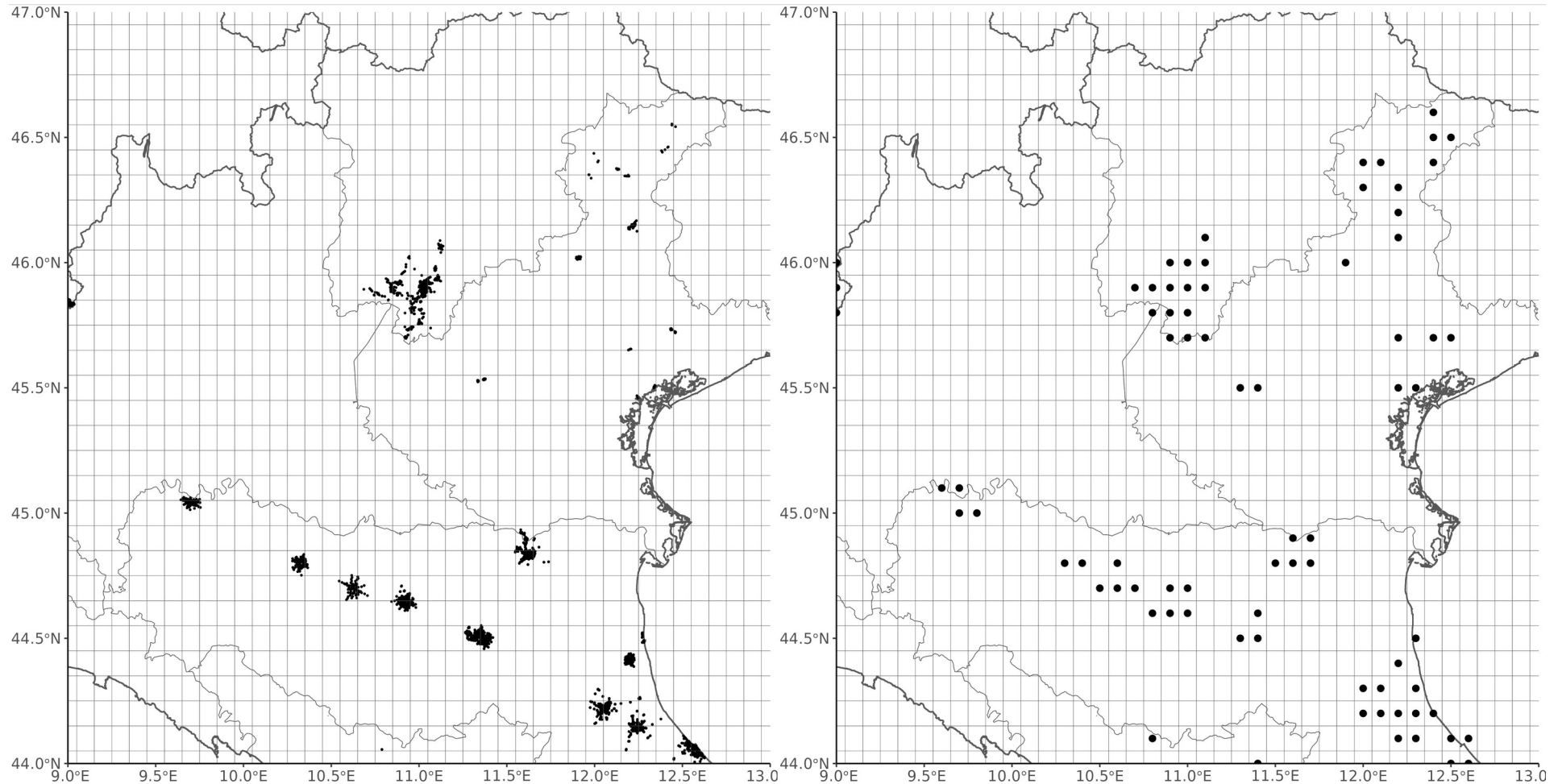
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Ovitraps aggregated within  $9 \times 9$  km grid cells by calculating median values.



# Final output

# The database

Output variable: weekly median number of observed eggs over a cell grid of 9x9km

150 aggregated ovitraps

ID	year	week	date	value	Country	Region	longitude	latitude	Institute	ntact_person	JOI_website	trap_type	volume	substrate	icide_preservative	typonical_nai	kingdom	phylum	class	order	family	genus	species	life_stage	EPSG
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Currently more than 42,000 observations.



# The database

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# Future developments

- Integrating years 2023-2024 and onwards
- Expanding spatial coverage (if you have data please consider sharing them)
- Adding other species
- Anything else?

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