

Supplementary Material 2: List of Lepidoptera species included in the meta-analysis and their host specialism.

Specialists are defined as having main host plants within one taxonomic family, while generalists had main hosts within more than one taxonomic family. Sources of host plants were: CABI

(<https://www.cabi.org>), which was used preferentially, BRC's Database of Insects and their Food

Plants (<http://dbif.brc.ac.uk/>), NHM's Database of the World's Lepidopteran Hostplants

(<https://www.nhm.ac.uk/our-science/data/hostplants>), and ScienceDirect

(<https://www.sciencedirect.com>).

Species	Common name	Host specialism	Source
<i>Amyelois transitella</i>	Navel orange worm	Generalist	ScienceDirect
<i>Caloptilia fraxinella</i>	Ash leaf cone roller	Specialist	BRC
<i>Cnaphalocrocis medinalis</i>	Rice leaf folder	Specialist	CABI
<i>Cydia pomonella</i>	Codling moth	Generalist	CABI
<i>Cydia strobilella</i>	Spruce seed moth	Specialist	BRC
<i>Dioryctria abietella</i>	Cone pyralid	Specialist	CABI
<i>Enarmonia formosana</i>	Bark tortrix	Specialist	CABI
<i>Eupoecilia ambiguella</i>	Grapevine moth	Generalist	CABI
<i>Grapholita molesta</i>	Oriental fruit moth	Specialist	CABI
<i>Hedya nubiferana</i>	Bud moth	Specialist	CABI
<i>Helicoverpa armigera</i>	Cotton bollworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Helicoverpa zea</i>	American cotton bollworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Heliothis virescens</i>	Tobacco budworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Hyphantria cunea</i>	Mulberry moth	Generalist	CABI
<i>Lobesia botrana</i>	European grapevine moth	Specialist	CABI
<i>Lymantria dispar</i>	Gypsy moth	Generalist	CABI
<i>Maruca vitrata</i>	Lima bean pod borer	Specialist	CABI
<i>Ostrinia furnacalis</i>	Asian corn borer	Generalist	CABI
<i>Ostrinia nubilalis</i>	European maize borer	Specialist	CABI
<i>Pandemis limitata</i>	Three-lined leafroller	Generalist	NHM
<i>Plutella xylostella</i>	Diamondback moth	Specialist	CABI
<i>Spilonota ocellana</i>	Eyespotted bud moth	Generalist	NHM
<i>Spodoptera exigua</i>	Beet armyworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Spodoptera frugiperda</i>	Fall armyworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Spodoptera littoralis</i>	Cotton leafworm	Generalist	CABI
<i>Spodoptera litura</i>	Taro caterpillar	Generalist	CABI
<i>Thaumetopoea pityocampa</i>	Pine processionary	Specialist	CABI