

Shifts in habitat suitability and the conservation status of the Endangered Andean cat *Leopardus jacobita* under climate change scenarios

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LSUMZ Mammals Collection

Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County: LACM Vertebrate Collection

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UMMZ Mammal Collection

Mammal Research Institute, Polish Academy of Sciences: Mammal Collection

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Conservation International: Rapid Assessment Program (RAP) Biodiversity Survey Database

MMNH Mammal Collection

Yale Peabody Museum, (c) 2009. Specimen data records available through distributed digital resources.

MHP Mammal Collection

Museum of Vertebrate Zoology (MVZ), University of California, Berkeley

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Royal Ontario Museum: Mammalogy Collection - Royal Ontario Museum

ROM mammal collection

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University of Wyoming Museum of Vertebrates

SBMNH Vertebrate Collection

Field Museum: Field Museum of Natural History (Zoology) Mammal Collection

Museo Argentino de Ciencias Naturales: Colección Nacional de Mastozoología - Museo Argentino de Ciencias Naturales 'Bernardino Rivadavia'

Natural History Museum, University of Oslo: Mammal collection, Natural History Museum, University of Oslo

TTU Mammal Collection

Ruedi M. Mammals housed at MHNG, Geneva. Muséum d'histoire naturelle de la Ville de Genève

South Australian Museum: South Australian Museum Australia provider for OZCAM

University of Washington Burke Museum. Mammal Collection. Seattle, Washington.

Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences: RBINS collections

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Museum of Comparative Zoology, Harvard University: Museum of Comparative Zoology, Harvard University

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SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL 2 Spatial autocorrelation

Results of Moran's indexes to detect autocorrelation amongst predictors.

Predictors	Moran's index	z-score	P
Precipitation of Coldest Quarter (bio19)	0.116	0.268	0.789
Precipitation Seasonality (bio15)	1.254	2.069	0.038
Annual Precipitation (bio12)	0.947	1.562	0.118
Min. Temperature of Coldest Month (bio6)	0.203	0.346	0.729
Temperature Seasonality (bio4)	0.956	1.562	0.118
Mean Diurnal Range (bio2)	1.785	2.895	0.004

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL 3 Candidate models of Andean cat habitat suitability.

Description of Maxent candidate models, performance and habitat thresholds

No. of predictors	Predictors	Training dataset			Testing dataset			Threshold	
		Regularized gain	AUC	SD	Test gain	AUC	SD	Restricted	Unrestricted
2	bio6 & bio15	1.9414	0.945	0.003	1.948	0.9428	0.031	0.1464	0.0072
4	* bio1, bio2, bio12 & bio19	1.7956	0.941	0.003	1.8096	0.938	0.029	0.2123	0.0022
4	bio2, bio6, bio15 & bio19	1.9807	0.947	0.002	2.0058	0.9432	0.025	0.1752	0.0073
6	** bio2, bio4, bio6, bio12, bio15, bio19	2.13	0.959	0.002	2.1624	0.9566	0.016	0.0211	0.0532
11	bio2, bio4, bio5, bio6, bio7, bio8, bio12, bio15, bio17, bio18 & bio19	2.2459	0.964	0.001	2.2532	0.9586	0.016	0.0511	0.0347

Predictors

- bio1 = Annual Mean Temperature
 bio2 = Mean Diurnal Range (Mean of monthly (max temp - min temp))
 bio4 = Temperature Seasonality (standard deviation *100)
 bio6 = Min Temperature of Coldest Month
 bio7 = Temperature Annual Range (bio5–bio6)
 bio8 = Mean Temperature of Wettest Quarter
 bio12 = Annual Precipitation
 bio15 = Precipitation Seasonality (Coefficient of Variation)
 bio17 = Precipitation of Driest Quarter
 bio18 = Precipitation of Warmest Quarter
 bio19 = Precipitation of Coldest Quarter

Model parameters

- Training dataset n = 113 (80%, random)
 Testing dataset = 12 (20%, random)
 Features = linear, quadratic and products
 Regularization, β multiplier = 1
 Iterations = 1,000
 Replicates = 10
 Background sample: 10,000, random

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL 4 Andean cat Maxent model.

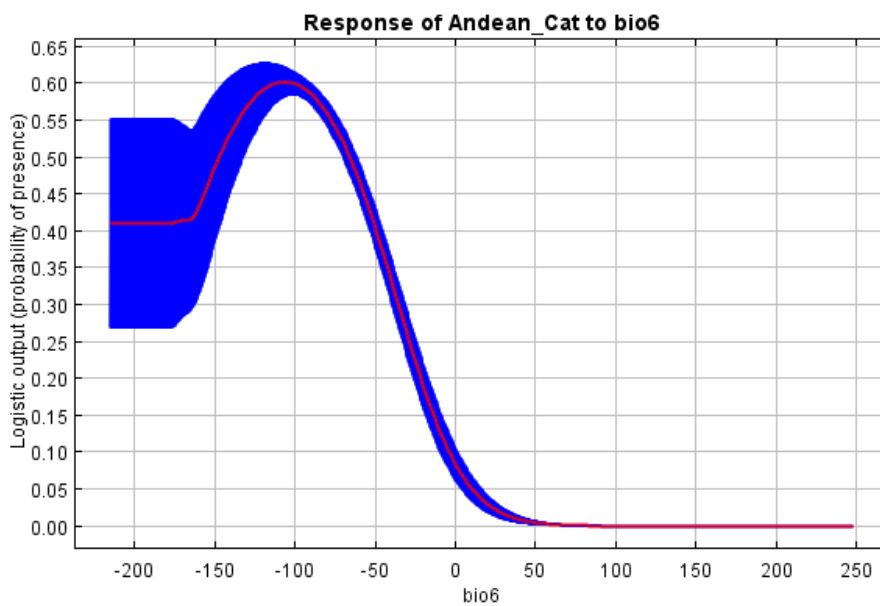
Climatic predictors and their heuristic contributions to habitat suitability models for Andean cats.

	Variable	Percent contribution	Permutation importance
Andean cat	Precipitation Seasonality	57.7	27.7
	Min Temperature of Coldest Month	27.1	37.5
	Temperature Seasonality	4.7	5.4
	Mean Diurnal Range	4.1	1.7
	Precipitation of Coldest Quarter	3.9	19.1
	Annual Precipitation	2.6	8.5

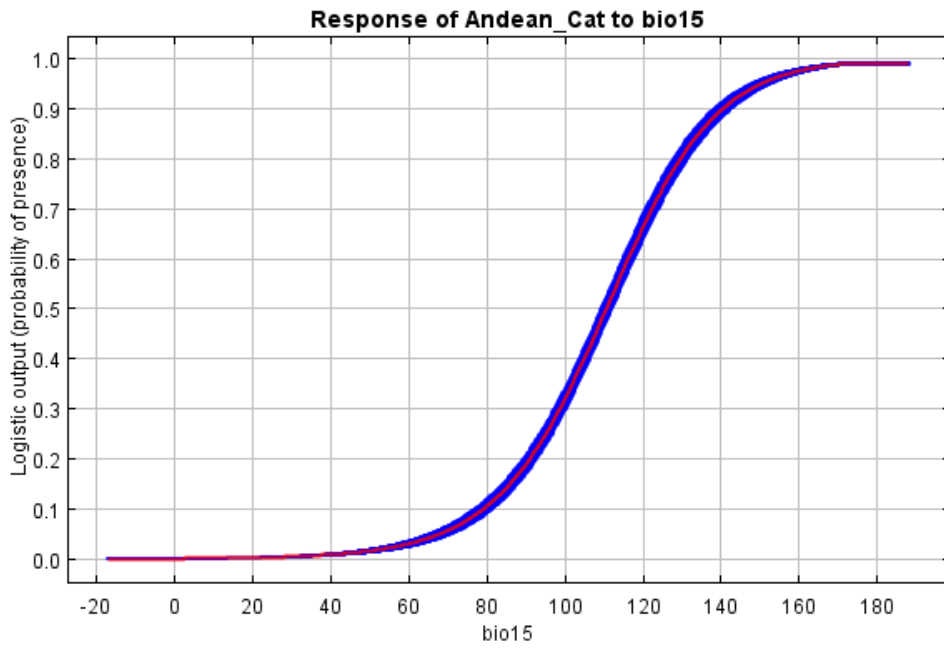
Response curves: Andean cat model

The curves show how the MaxEnt prediction varies as the main climatic variables change, while maintaining the others at their mean value.

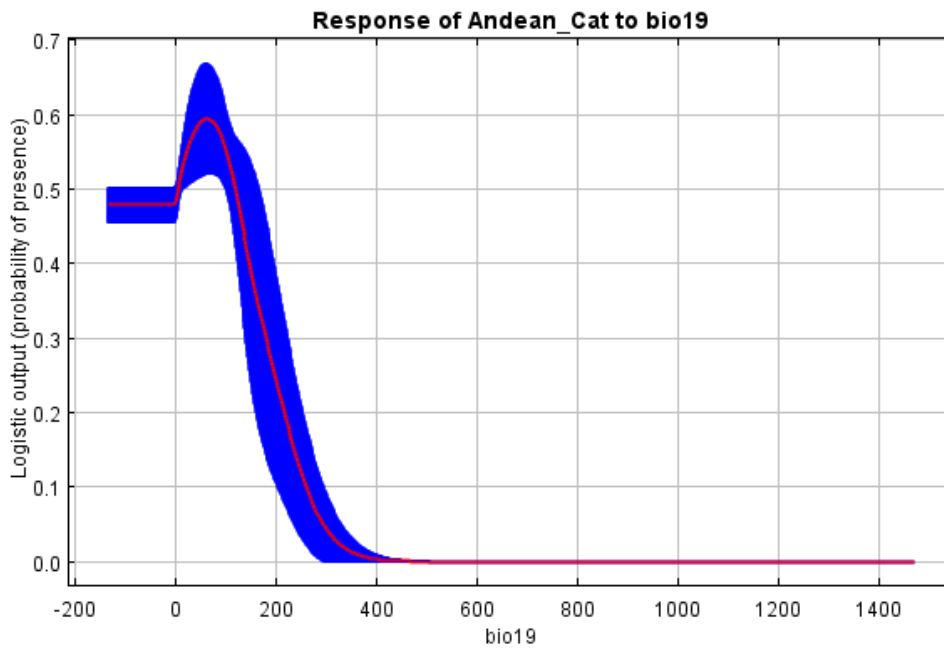
Min. Temperature of Coldest Month (bio6) (°C*10)



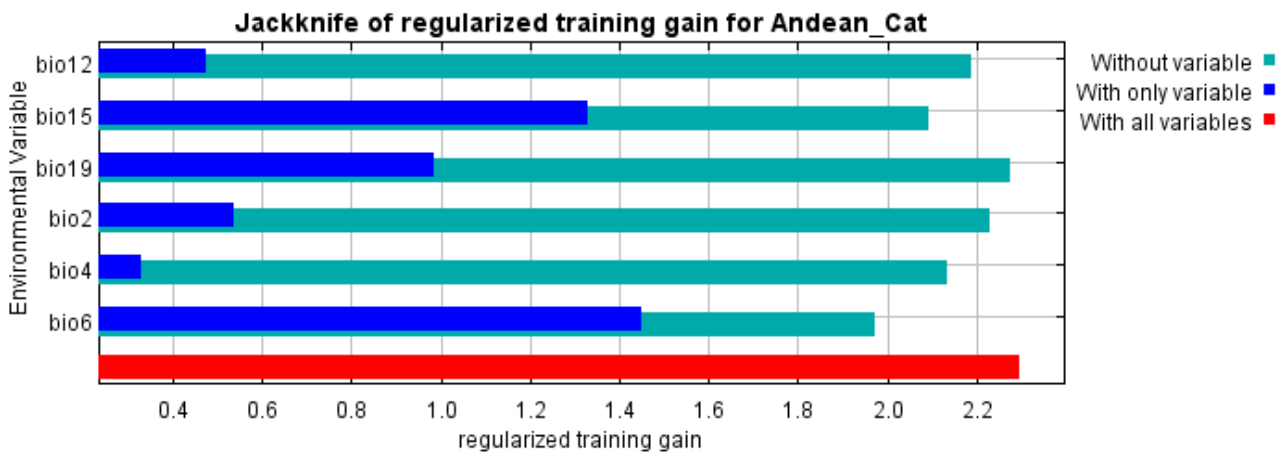
Precipitation Seasonality (bio15)



Precipitation of Coldest Quarter (bio19) (mm)



Jackknife test: Andean cat model



Supplementary Material 5 Mountain viscacha Maxent model.

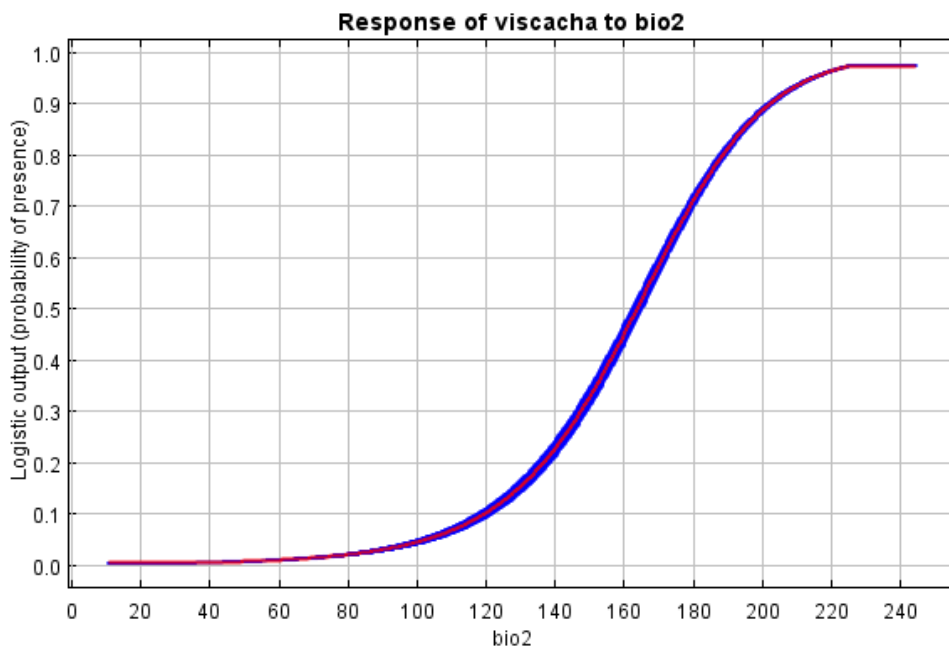
Climatic predictors and their heuristic contributions to habitat suitability models for mountain viscachas.

	Variable	Percent contribution	Permutation importance
Mountain viscacha	Temperature Mean Diurnal Range	56.2	34.9
	Mean Temperature of Wettest Quarter	35.6	53.6
	Temperature Seasonality	5.3	9.9
	Min. Temperature of Coldest Month	1.8	0.1
	Precipitation of the warmest quarter	1	1.5

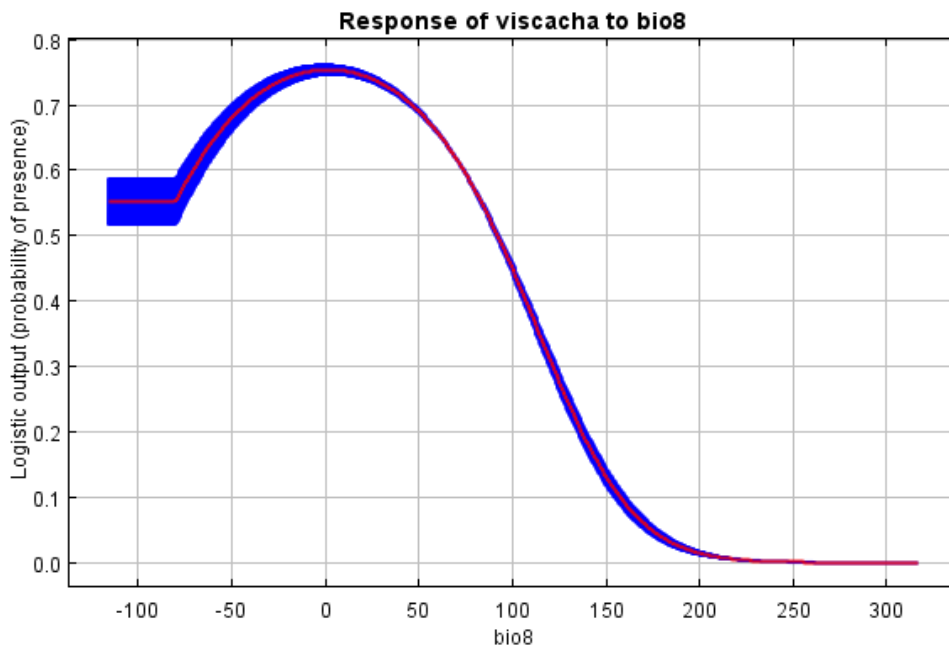
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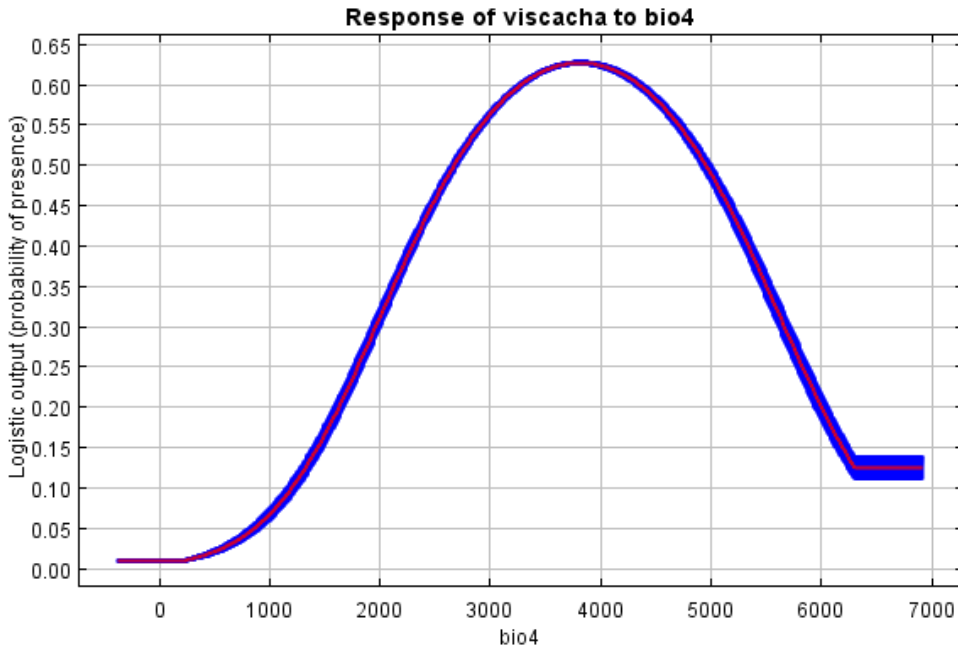
Temperature Mean Diurnal Range (bio2) ($^{\circ}\text{C} \cdot 10$)



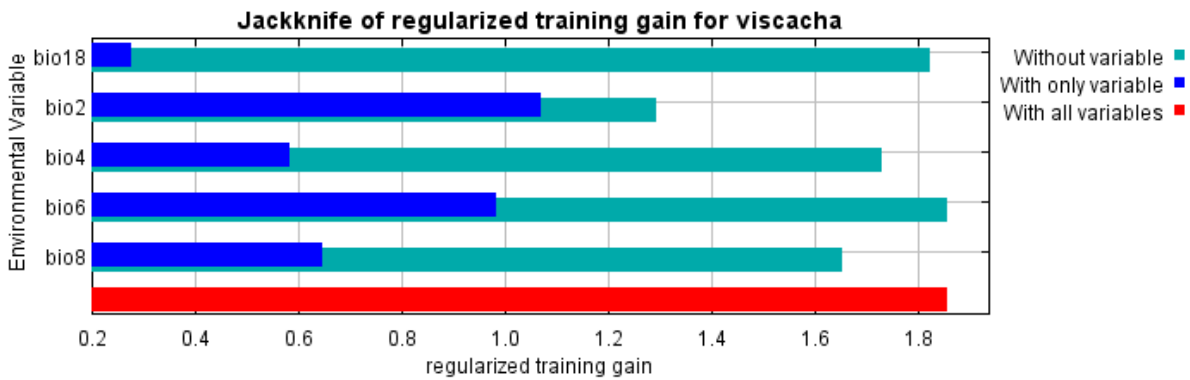
Mean Temperature of Wettest Quarter (bio8) ($^{\circ}\text{C} \cdot 10$)



Temperature Seasonality (bio4)



Main response curves of the viscacha model showing how the MaxEnt prediction varied as the main climatic variables changed (maintaining the others at their mean value).



SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL 6 Multivariate environmental similarity surfaces.

Multivariate environmental similarity surfaces (MESS; Elith et al. 2010) output generated by Maxent, comparing current and future climates, using all variables in the selected model.

