

Trophic niche breadth and overlap between two sympatric lizard species (Reptilia: Lacertidae) from South Bulgaria

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ABSTRACT:

The material for the current study was collected in 1980 – 1981 in surrounding of Purvomai Town in South Bulgaria. The seasonal variation of the trophic spectrum of two sympatric lizards (*Lacerta viridis* and *Podarcis tauricus*) is presented as well as the species' trophic niche breadth and niche overlap. The possible ecological aspects of interspecific competition are discussed.

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