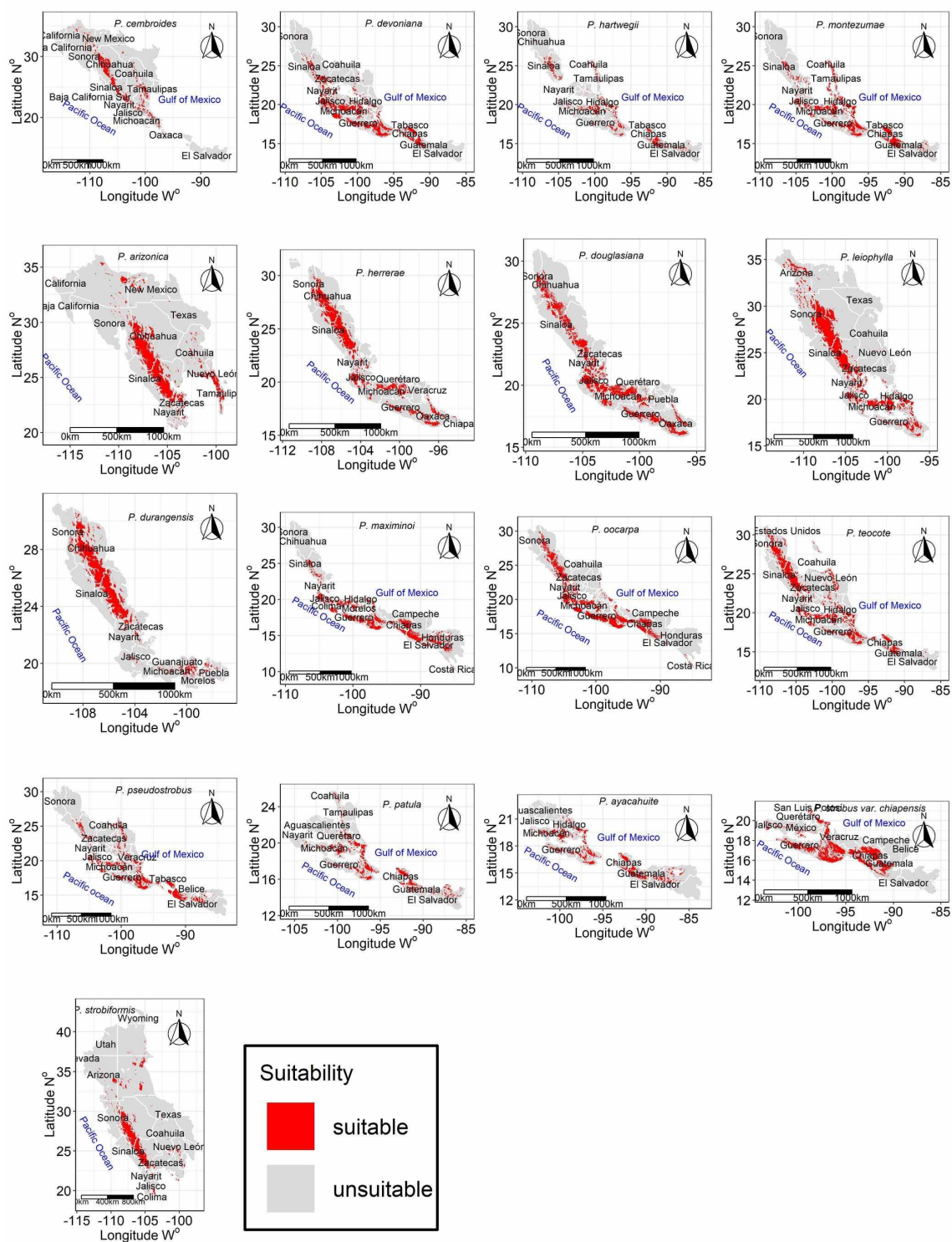
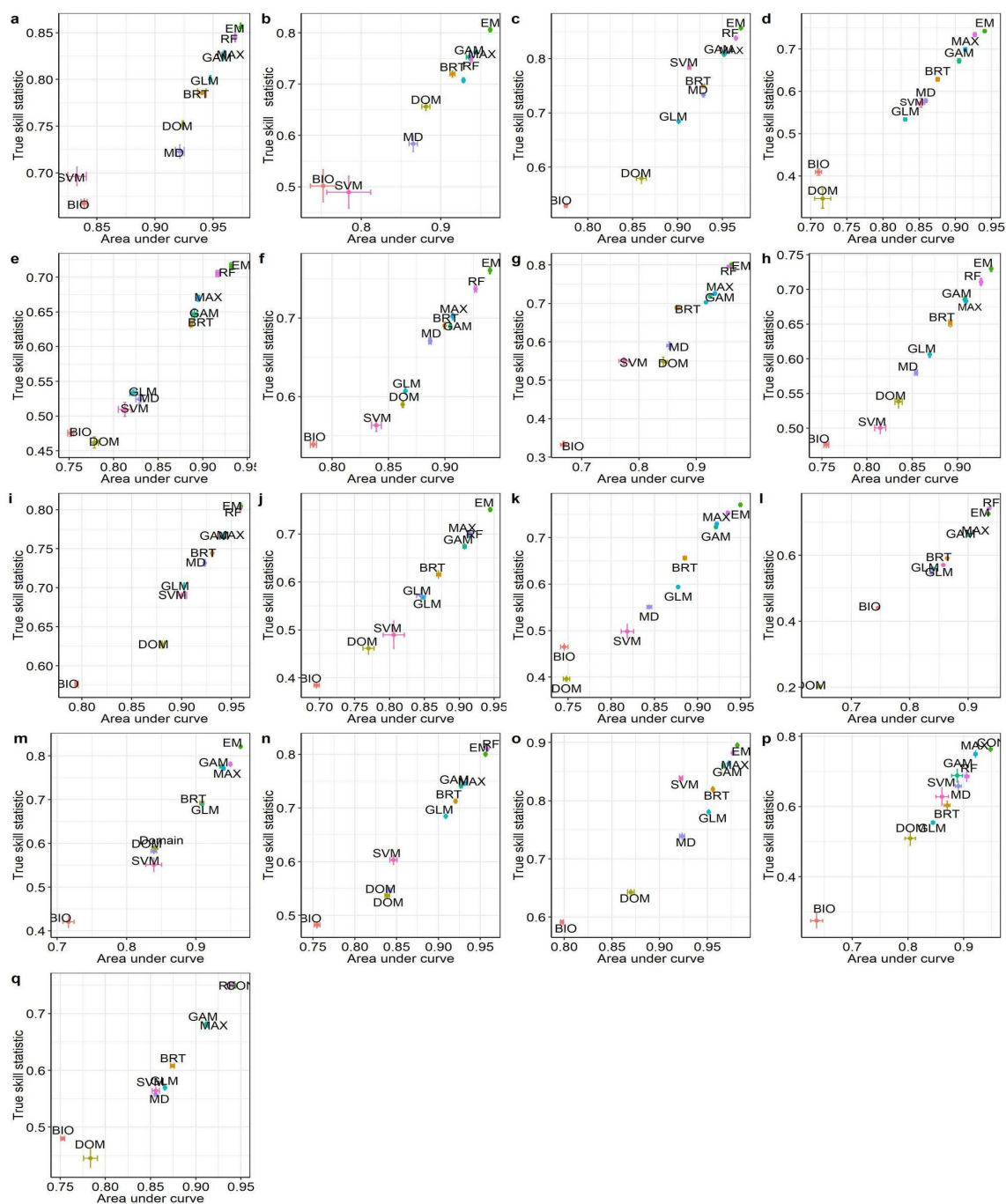


## Supplementary Material

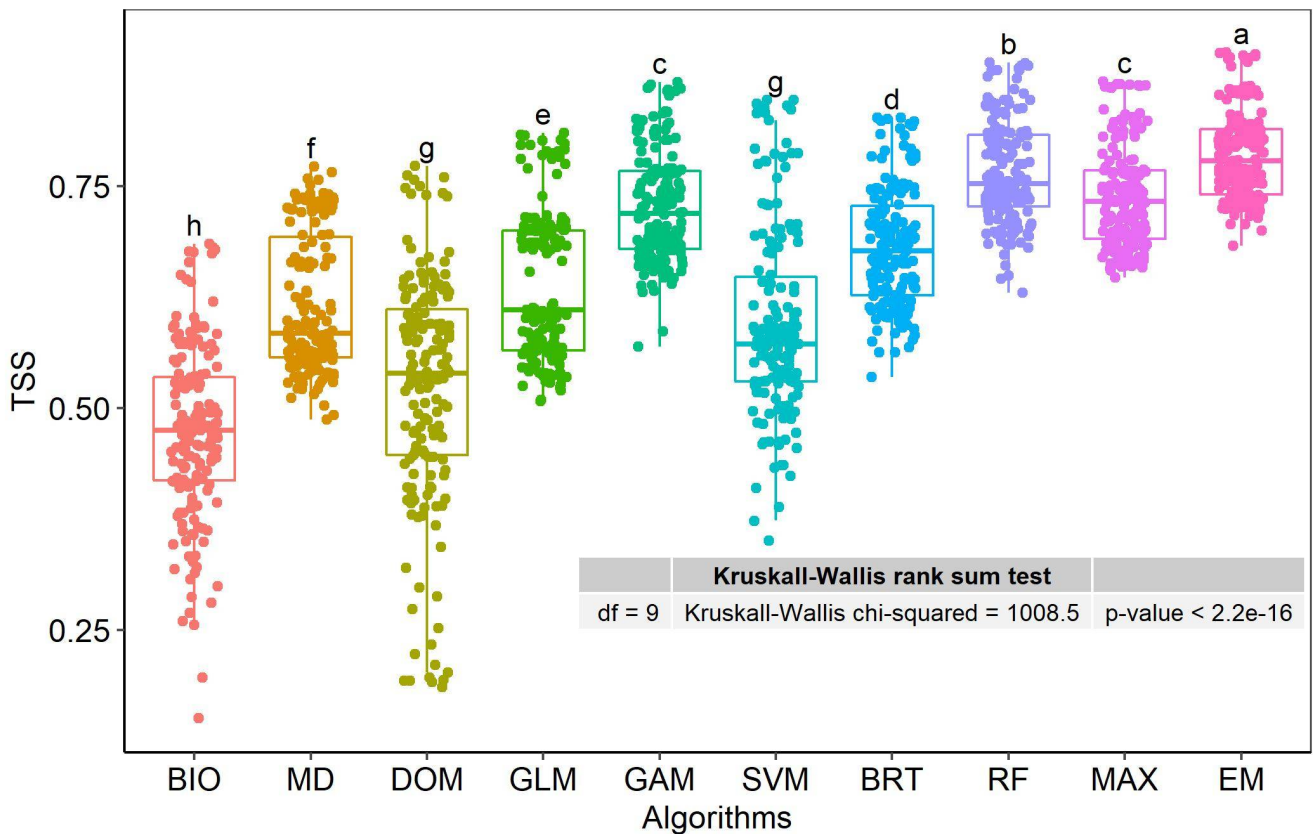
**Fig. S1 - Binary prediction of the ensemble model for 17 species of pines.**



**Fig. S2** - True statistical skill and AUC of nine algorithms and ensemble model for modeling *P. arizonica* (a), *P. ayacahuíte* (b), *P. cembroides* (c), *P. devoniana* (d), *P. douglasiana* (e), *P. durangensis* (f), *P. hartwegii* (g), *P. herrerae* (h), *P. leiophylla* (i), *P. maximinoi* (j), *P. montezumae* (k), *P. oocarpa* (l), *P. patula* (m), *P. pseudostrobus* (n), *P. strobiformis* (o), *P. strobus var. chiapensis* (p), *P. teocote* (q).



**Fig. S3** - Kruskal-Wallis non-parametric test and classification of algorithms. The letters indicate the predictive performance of the algorithms in descending order (a = highest; h = lowest; middle letters = medium performance, equal letters means similar performance).



**Tab. S1** - Relative importance of the variables (AUC\_test) obtained in the pre-modelling process of 17 pine species. (alt): altitude (m); (bd): bulk density (cg/cm3); (bio1): annual mean temperature (°C); (bio10): mean temperature of warmest quarter (°C); (bio11): mean temperature of coldest quarter (°C); (bio12): annual precipitation (mm); (bio13): precipitation of wettest month (mm); (bio14): precipitation of driest month (mm); (bio16): precipitation of wettest quarter (mm); (bio17): precipitation of driest quarter (mm); (bio2): mean diurnal range (°c); (bio5): maximum temperature of warmest month (°c); (bio6): minimum temperature of coldest month (°c); (cec): cation exchange capacity (mmol(c)/kg); (ci): convergence index; (clc): clay content (g/kg); (dah): diurnal anisotropic heat; (nit): nitrogen (cg/kg); (ocd): organic carbon density (g/dm3); (ph): ph water (ph\*100); (sa): sand (g/kg); (slo): slope (°); (sil): silt (g/kg); (ocs): organic carbon soil (dg/kg); (socs): soil organic carbón stock (t/ha); (tri): terrain ruggedness index (m); (twi): topographic wetness index.

Var/sp	<i>P. arizonica</i>	<i>P. ayacahuite</i>	<i>P. cembroides</i>	<i>P. devontiana</i>	<i>P. douglasiana</i>	<i>P. durangensis</i>	<i>P. hartwegii</i>	<i>P. herrerae</i>	<i>P. leiophylla</i>	<i>P. maximino</i>	<i>P. montezumae</i>	<i>P. oocarpa</i>	<i>P. patula</i>	<i>P. pseudostrobus</i>	<i>P. strobiformis</i>	<i>P. strobus</i> var. <i>chitapensis</i>	<i>P. teocote</i>
alt	0.21*	0.31	0.32	0.29	0.08*	0.16	0.07	0.20	0.12*	0.21	0.19	0.19	0.31	0.16	0.18*	0.20	0.20
deap	0.07*	0.11*	0.00x	0.09*	0.00x	0.00x	0.06*	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.06*	0.00x	0.11*	0.06*	0.03*	0.08*	0.00x
bio_1	0.43	0.54	0.29	0.69	0.47	0.27	0.79	0.68	0.30	0.72	0.42	0.64	0.79	0.47	0.39	0.79	0.30
bio_10	0.66	0.39	0.31	0.68	0.86	0.46	0.27	0.40	0.36	0.51	0.59	0.38	0.32	0.48	0.52	0.56	0.45
bio_11	0.56	0.57	0.38	0.73	0.36	0.36	0.35	0.54	0.42*	0.78	0.54	0.65	0.97	0.42	0.51	0.74	0.30*
bio_12	0.62	0.18	0.16*	0.06	0.24	0.00x	0.45	0.09	0.26	0.09	0.49	0.20	0.07	0.17	0.46	0.00x	0.18
bio_13	0.22*	0.02*	0.00x	0.06*	0.09*	0.26*	0.00x	0.26*	0.09	0.07*	0.00x	0.04*	0.21*	0.00x	0.26*	0.00x	0.24*
bio_14	0.01*	0.10*	0.05*	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.08*	0.00x	0.06*	0.25*	0.03*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x
bio_16	0.78	0.00x	0.00x	0.07	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.07	0.00x	0.00x	0.52*	0.02	0.00x	0.00x	0.24	0.63*	0.00x
bio_17	0.01	0.37	0.05	0.06*	0.06*	0.05	0.00x	0.09*	0.00x	0.13	0.00x	0.05	0.00x	0.27	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x
bio_2	0.00x	0.27*	0.01*	0.14*	0.02*	0.24*	0.35*	0.04*	0.00x	0.29*	0.06*	0.02	0.20*	0.06*	0.01*	0.31*	0.69*
bio_5	0.35	0.50*	0.43*	0.37*	0.60	0.90*	0.43*	0.63*	0.25	0.59*	0.39*	0.68*	0.50*	0.30*	0.60	0.86*	0.28*
bio_6	0.54	0.71	0.35*	0.71	0.40	0.43	0.58	0.87	0.47	0.44	0.35	0.78	0.45	0.51	0.59	0.22	0.56
cic	0.00x	0.00x	0.07*	0.04*	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.02*	0.00x	0.01*	0.02*	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.06*	0.03*
ic	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x
coar	0.00x	0.03*	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.06*	0.00x
cad	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.06*	0.02*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.01*	0.05*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x
nit	0.01	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.04*	0.00x	0.00x	0.04*	0.01	0.05*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.03*
deco	0.08	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.12*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.04	0.01	0.00x	0.02
pH	0.15	0.00x	0.06*	0.14*	0.11*	0.08*	0.14*	0.12*	0.13*	0.00x	0.00x	0.10	0.00x	0.00x	0.07	0.00x	0.09*
are	0.00x	0.53*	0.00x	0.06*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.04*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.00x
limo	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.01*	0.05*	0.02*	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.00x
pen	0.01*	0.02*	0.00x	0.05*	0.00x	0.00x	0.03*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x
cos	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.05*	0.05	0.02*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.05	0.00x	0.01*

Var/sp	<i>P. arizonica</i>	<i>P. ayacahuite</i>	<i>P. cembroides</i>	<i>P. devoniana</i>	<i>P. douglasiana</i>	<i>P. durangensis</i>	<i>P. hartwegii</i>	<i>P. herrerae</i>	<i>P. leiophylla</i>	<i>P. maximino</i>	<i>P. montezumae</i>	<i>P. oocarpa</i>	<i>P. patula</i>	<i>P. pseudostrobus</i>	<i>P. strobiformis</i>	<i>P. strobus</i> var. <i>chiapensis</i>	<i>P. teocate</i>
rcos	0.11*	0.03*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.02*	0.00x	0.03*	0.05	0.01*	0.13*	0.00x
irt	0.00x	0.02	0.04*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*	0.02*	0.05*	0.00x	0.00x	0.01*
ith	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.03*	0.00x	0.07*	0.06*	0.07*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x	0.07*	0.00x	0.00x	0.00x

\* variables included in final model

x Variables eliminated due to null contribution in pre-modeling

**Tab. S2** - Variance inflation factor of the variables included in final models of spatial distribution of 17 species of pines. (alt): altitude (m); (bd): bulk density (cg/cm<sup>3</sup>); (bio1): annual mean temperature (°C); (bio10): mean temperature of warmest quarter (°C); (bio11): mean temperature of coldest quarter (°C); (bio12): annual precipitation (mm); (bio13): precipitation of wettest month (mm); (bio14): precipitation of driest month (mm); (bio14): precipitation of driest month (mm); (bio16): precipitation of wettest quarter (mm); (bio17): precipitation of driest quarter (mm); (bio2): mean diurnal range (°c); (bio5): maximum temperature of warmest month (°c); (bio6): minimum temperature of coldest month (°c); (cec): cation exchange capacity (mmol(c)/kg); (ci): convergence index; (clc): clay content (g/kg); (dah): diurnal anisotropic heat; (nit): nitrogen (cg/kg); (ocd): organic carbon density (g/dm<sup>3</sup>); (ph): ph water (ph\*100); (sa): sand (g/kg); (slo): slope (°); (sil): silt (g/kg); (ocs): organic carbon soil (dg/kg); (socs): soil organic carbon stock (t/ha); (tri): terrain ruggedness index (m); (twi): topographic wetness index.

Var/sp	<i>P. arizonica</i>	<i>P. ayacahuite</i>	<i>P. cembroides</i>	<i>P. devoniana</i>	<i>P. douglasiana</i>	<i>P. durangensis</i>	<i>P. hartwegii</i>	<i>P. herrerae</i>	<i>P. leiophylla</i>	<i>P. maximino</i>	<i>P. montezumae</i>	<i>P. oocarpa</i>	<i>P. patula</i>	<i>P. pseudostrobus</i>	<i>P. strobiformis</i>	<i>P. strobus var. chiapensis</i>	<i>P. teocote</i>
alt	1.46	*	*	*	2.16	*	*	*	2.18	*	*	*	*	*	2.24	*	*
bd	1.16	1.47	*	2.20	*	*	1.65	*	*	1.36	1.45	*	1.30	1.34	1.28	1.66	*
bio_1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
bio_10	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
bio_11	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2.15	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	4.56
bio_12	*	*	4.56	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
bio_13	1.93	2.28	*	3.15	3.03	2.16	*	2.81	*	2.67	*	1.95	1.67	*	1.93	*	3.20
bio_14	1.47	1.99	2.46	*	*	1.36	1.39	*	*	1.96	*	2.21	1.46	1.95	*	*	*
bio_16	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.61	*	*	*	*	1.93	*
bio_17	*	*	*	1.50	1.42	*	*	1.53	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.85	*	*
bio_2	*	3.18	3.03	2.07	1.68	1.53	2.31	1.72	*	2.34	2.18	*	2.10	2.29	1.89	1.96	3.66
bio_5	*	1.55	2.34	1.66	*	2.31	1.41	2.22	*	1.38	1.63	1.24	1.46	1.27	*	1.94	3.50
bio_6	*	*	3.61	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
cec	*	*	1.83	1.36	*	*	1.43	*	1.34	*	1.34	1.72	*	1.19	*	1.81	1.16
ci	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.03	*	*	*	*
clc	*	2.13	2.09	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2.18	*	*	*	2.74	*
dah	*	*	*	1.03	1.02	*	*	*	*	1.03	1.03	1.03	*	*	*	*	*
nit	*	*	*	2.38	1.92	*	*	2.50	*	1.58	*	*	*	*	*	1.49	2.63
ocd	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2.01	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
pH	*	*	1.85	3.06	1.42	1.48	1.65	1.59	1.45	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.91
sa	*	2.13	*	1.97	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.68	*	*	*	2.09	*
sil	*	*	*	1.81	*	*	1.70	*	*	1.47	1.75	1.35	1.55	*	*	1.72	*
slo	1.38	1.27	*	1.34	*	*	1.51	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.41	*	*
ocs	*	*	*	*	*	2.62	*	3.27	*	*	*	*	*	2.31	*	*	3.40

Var/sp	<i>P. arizonica</i>	<i>P. ayacahuite</i>	<i>P. cembroides</i>	<i>P. devoniana</i>	<i>P. douglasiana</i>	<i>P. durangensis</i>	<i>P. hartwegii</i>	<i>P. herrerae</i>	<i>P. leiophylla</i>	<i>P. maximino</i>	<i>P. montezumae</i>	<i>P. oocarpa</i>	<i>P. patula</i>	<i>P. pseudostrobus</i>	<i>P. strobiformis</i>	<i>P. strobus</i> var. <i>chiapensis</i>	<i>P. teocate</i>
socs	2.70	2.72	*	*	*	*	2.99	*	*	*	2.74	*	2.48	*	2.31	2.81	*
tri	*	*	1.41	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1.15	1.29	1.44	*	*	1.58
twi	*	*	*	*	1.16	*	1.38	1.13	1.21	*	*	*	*	1.34	*	*	*

\* Variance inflation factor > 5 (highly correlated)