

Electronic supplementary material – Watts et al., Post-weaning maternal effects and the evolution of female dominance in the spotted hyena

Table S1. Indicators of intensity of feeding competition among large carnivores that feed in groups on medium- and large-bodied ungulates. Wherever possible all data were obtained from a single study.

| | Maximum food consumption rate (g/min) | Social group size | Feeding group size | References |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| African wild dogs | 1340 | 5-12 | 5-12 | Creel & Creel (2002); S. Creel, personal communication |
| Lions | 83 | 17 | 5.2 | Schaller (1972) |
| Spotted hyenas | 1250 | 50-60 | 8 | Holekamp et al. (1997); Smith et al. (2008); Kruuk (1972) |
| Wolves | 1100 | 9-10 | 9-10 | Schmidt & Mech (1997); Wilmers & Stahler (2002) |

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