exceed the 2.7% threshold recommended by Hebert et al., even for the A. cinerea–A. herodias–A. cocoi complex. The aim of this study is not the phylogeography of birds of the family Ardeidae, but to verify the robustness of mitochondrial markers in delineating species with worldwide distribution. Whether these sequence divergences are evolutionarily significant needs to be further analysed on a larger sample set taking into consideration more stringent criteria. Although our results are preliminary and based on few samples and sequences available in the database, they justify the need for further investigation into these species with extensive geographical sampling.


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Erratum

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[Curr. Sci., 2012, 103, 208–212] – In Figure 5 the ‘Food wall’ should be read as ‘Foot wall’. The corrected figure is printed below.