

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS FOR THE ARTICLE:

Skeletochronology uncovers population- and sex-dependent growth trajectories in the sand lizards of Western Poland

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Supplementary Material Table S1. Linear model results for snout–vent length (SVL) in relation to age, sex, and population. Significant results are marked in bold. ** denotes $p < 0.01$; *** denotes $p < 0.001$.

Predictor	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	p-value	Significance
(Intercept)	4.74	0.11	42.24	<0.001	***
Age	0.56	0.02	23.88	<0.001	***
Sex (male)	0.23	0.13	1.79	0.075	
Population (Żary)	0.67	0.15	4.51	<0.001	***
Population (Zielona Góra)	0.22	0.15	1.44	0.151	
Age × Sex	-0.07	0.03	-2.71	0.008	**
Age × Population (Żary)	-0.19	0.03	-6.03	<0.001	***
Age × Population (Zielona Góra)	-0.04	0.03	-1.42	0.159	