"Next Generation Serology"
Integrating cross-sectional and
capture-recapture data to infer
disease dynamics from serological data

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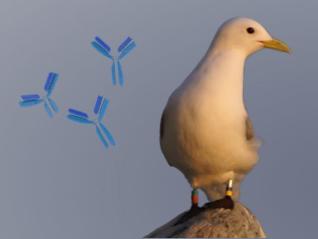
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Monitoring infectious agents in wild populations

Wild species threaten by infectious diseases



An Indian yellow-nosed albatross (*Thalassarche carteri*) and its dead chick on a island recurrently hit by avian cholera outbreaks



A Hawaiian monk seal (*Neomonachus schauinslandi*) being vaccinated against the phocine distemper virus Malakoff, 2016, *Science*

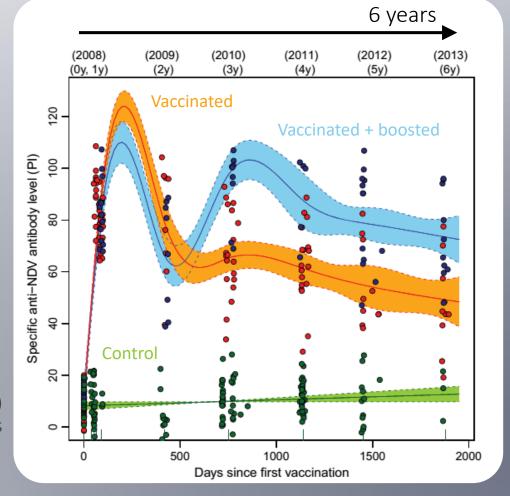
- Emerging infectious diseases at the human-wildlife interface
- Basic ecological and evolutionary research

Monitoring infectious agents by detection of antibodies



- Production of specific antibodies after exposure
- Maintenance of high antibody levels from a few weeks to several years
- Detection by immunoassay

In Cory's shearwaters (*Calonectris diomedea*) vaccinated against the Newcastle disease virus



Ramos et al., 2014, The American Naturalist

Colonial species as a biological model

- Colonies = discrete unities of high density
 - Well define sampling frame
 - Different spatial scales: intra- and inter-colony
- Long-lived and faithful to their breeding site
 - Repeated exposure to local parasites
 - Implementation of longitudinal monitoring on a long-term basis





Results soon to be communicated