APPENDIX 1

Table S1: Names, locations and geographic coordinates of study sites where our field work was performed. Each study site included 16 counting points where both bird surveys and vegetation surveys were performed. Sites within the same area were assigned the same level of our grouping factor, to account for spatial autocorrelation associated with location and environmental conditions.

ID	Area	Forest	Description	Elevation	Starting point coords	Sampling period
		type		(III asi)	(S; E)	(months/year)
1		P1	Pristine rainforest located within the Wanang conservation area, with little to no disturbance from people occupying the nearby Swire research station.	108	5.23163; 145.181116	January, June, October 2010
2	Wanang	S1	Secondary forest created by highly spatially restricted small-scale agriculture near the Wanang village, at the border of the Wanang conservational area, and surrounded by continuous primary forest.	113	5.22733; 145.080583	January, June, October 2010
3		P1	Primary forest fragment located near the Baitabag village	80	5.14010; 145.775262	June, October 2010, January 2011
4	Baitabag	S2	Secondary forest after large-scale deforestation, closely adjacent to the Baitabag forest fragment	82	5.14323; 145.773868	June, October 2011, January 2012
5		P1	Primary forest fragment located near the Baiteta village	75	4.99825; 145.7522	June, October 2010, January 2011
6	Baiteta	S2	Secondary forest after large-scale deforestation, closely adjacent to the Baiteta forest fragment	66	5.008; 145.770366	June, October 2011, January 2012

7		P1	Primary forest fragment located near the Ohu village	125	5.23081; 145.677786	June, October 2010, January 2011
8	Ohu	S2	Secondary forest after large-scale deforestation, closely adjacent to the Ohu forest fragment	122	5.23976; 145.689013	June, October 2011, January 2012
9	Gonua	S2	Secondary forest after large-scale deforestation, within 1.5 km of primary forest fragment that was not surveyed	72	5.364; 145.6629	June, October 2011, January 2012
10	Yal	S2	Secondary forest after large-scale deforestation, within 1.5 km of primary forest fragment that was not surveyed	118	5.31558; 145.4897	June, October 2011, January 2012

Table S2: Model parameters for each of our linear mixed-effects (LMM)/ generalized linear mixed-effect models (GLMM). For each model, the dependent variable and model family with the link function are displayed, as well as model parameters and spatial autocorrelation tests. Package lme4 (Bates et al., 2015) was used to fit LMMs, package GLMMTMB (Brooks et al., 2017) was used to fit GLMMs, package Dharma was used for model diagnostics and spatial autocorrelation tests (Hartig, 2018).

Dependent variable	Model type	Model family	Link function	AIC	BIC	loglik	deviance	Moran's I	P value Moran Test
Total Bird species richness	GLMM	Conway- Maxwell Poisson	log	1031.4	1071.3	- 502.7	1005.4	-0.227	0.787
Total Bird abundance	LMM	Gaussian	identity	-40.5	-22.1	26.3	-52.5	-0.199	0.995
Insectivore species richness	GLMM	Conway- Maxwell Poisson	log	873	906.8	- 425.5	851	-0.121	0.409
Frugivore species richness	GLMM	Conway- Maxwell Poisson	log	850.4	890.4	- 412.2	824.4	-0.238	0.683
Nectarivore species richness	GLMM	Conway- Maxwell Poisson	log	385.8	404.2	- 186.9	373.8	-0.218	0.853

Omnivore species richness	GLMM	Conway- Maxwell Poisson	log	401.5	420	- 194.8	389.5	-0.252	0.448
Insectivore density	LMM	Gaussian	identity	2.7	21.2	4.6	-9.3	-0.323	0.099
Frugivore density	LMM	Gaussian	identity	163.4	181.9	-75.7	151.4	-0.081	0.205
Nectarivore density	LMM	Gaussian	identity	209.6	228	-98.8	197.6	-0.312	0.234
Omnivore density	LMM	Gaussian	identity	234.5	253	- 111.3	222.5	-0.277	0.370

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Table S3: List of all bird species in our study that entered analyses. We used the 14.1 version of the IOC world bird list as taxonomical authority (Gil et al., 2024), meaning we are displaying all species in this table in the same order as they are in the IOC master list, and we are using the newest IOC nomenclature for both English and scientific names. The code column refers to the species codes displayed in our multivariate analyses. Information on relevant functional traits was taken from sources described in methods section the main document of this paper.

English name	Scientific name	Code	Feeding guild
Northern Cassowary	Casuarius unappendiculatus	CasuUnap	Fr
Collared Brushturkey	Talegalla jobiensis	TaleJobi	Fr
New Guinea Scrubfowl	Megapodius decollatus	MegaDeco	In
Barred Owlet-nightjar	Aegotheles bennettii	AegoBenn	In
Moustached Treeswift	Hemiprocne mystacea	HemiMyst	In
Ivory-billed Coucal	Centropus menbeki	CentMenb	Om

Pheasant Coucal	Centropus phasianinus	CentPhas	In
Asian Koel	Eudynamys scolopaceus	EudyScol	Fr
Little Bronze Cuckoo	Chrysococcyx minutillus	ChryMinu	In
White-crowned Cuckoo	Cacomantis leucolophus	CacoLeuc	In
Chestnut-breasted Cuckoo	Cacomantis castaneiventris	CacoCast	In
Brush Cuckoo	Cacomantis variolosus	CacoVari	In
Amboyna Cuckoo-Dove	Macropygia amboinensis	MacrAmbo	Fr
Great Cuckoo-Dove	Reinwardtoena reinwardti	ReinRein	Fr
Stephan's Emerald Dove	Chalcophaps stephani	ChalStep	Fr
Cinnamon Ground Dove	Gallicolumba rufigula	GallRufi	Fr
Victoria Crowned Pigeon	Goura victoria	GourVict	Fr
Wompoo Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus magnificus	PtilMagn	Fr
Pink-spotted Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus perlatus	PtilPerl	Fr
Superb Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus superbus	PtilSupe	Fr
Coroneted Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus coronulatus	PtilCoro	Fr
Beautiful Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus pulchellus	PtilPulc	Fr
Yellow-bibbed Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus solomonensis	PtilSolo	Fr
Orange-bellied Fruit Dove	Ptilinopus iozonus	Ptillozo	Fr
Purple-tailed Imperial Pigeon	Ducula rufigaster	DucuRufi	Fr
Pinon's Imperial Pigeon	Ducula pinon	DucuPino	Fr
Zoe's Imperial Pigeon	Ducula zoeae	DucuZoea	Fr
Long-tailed Honey Buzzard	Henicopernis longicauda	HeniLong	In
Blyth's Hornbill	Rhyticeros plicatus	RhytPlic	Fr
Oriental Dollarbird	Eurystomus orientalis	EuryOrie	In
Hook-billed Kingfisher	Melidora macrorrhina	MeliMacr	In
Common Paradise Kingfisher	Tanysiptera galatea	TanyGala	In
Rufous-bellied Kookaburra	Dacelo gaudichaud	DaceGaud	Om
Yellow-billed Kingfisher	Syma torotoro	SymaToro	In
Papuan Dwarf Kingfisher	Ceyx solitarius	CeyxSoli	In
Azure Kingfisher	Ceyx azureus	CeyxAzur	In
Palm Cockatoo	Probosciger aterrimus	ProbAter	Fr
Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	Cacatua galerita	CacaGale	Fr

Buff-faced Pygmy Parrot	Micropsitta pusio	MicrPusi	Fr
Papuan King Parrot	Alisterus chloropterus	AlisChlo	Fr
Moluccan Eclectus	Eclectus roratus	EcleRora	Fr
Red-cheeked Parrot	Geoffroyus geoffroyi	GeofGeof	Fr
Blue-collared Parrot	Geoffroyus simplex	GeofSimp	Fr
Stella's Lorikeet	Charmosyna stellae	CharStel	Ne
Black-capped Lory	Lorius lory	LoriLory	Ne
Dusky Lory	Pseudeos fuscata	PseuFusc	Fr
Coconut Lorikeet	Trichoglossus haematodus	TricHaem	Ne
Large Fig Parrot	Psittaculirostris desmarestii	PsitDesm	Fr
Edwards's Fig Parrot	Psittaculirostris edwardsii	PsitEdwa	Fr
Double-eyed Fig Parrot	Cyclopsitta diophthalma	CyclDiop	Fr
Papuan Pitta	Erythropitta macklotii	ErytMack	In
Hooded Pitta	Pitta sordida	PittSord	In
White-eared Catbird	Ailuroedus buccoides	AiluBucc	Fr
Long-billed Honeyeater	Melilestes megarhynchus	MeliMega	Om
Ruby-throated Myzomela	Myzomela eques	MyzoEque	Ne
Meyer's Friarbird	Philemon meyeri	PhilMeye	Fr
Helmeted Friarbird	Philemon buceroides	PhilBuce	Ne
Tawny-breasted Honeyeater	Xanthotis flaviventer	XantFlav	In
Mimic Honeyeater	Microptilotis analogus	MicrAnal	In
Rusty Mouse-warbler	Origma murina	OrigMuri	In
Pale-billed Scrubwren	Aethomyias spilodera	AethSpil	In
Yellow-bellied Gerygone	Gerygone chrysogaster	GeryChry	In
Green-backed Gerygone	Gerygone chloronota	GeryChlo	In
Fairy Gerygone	Gerygone palpebrosa	GeryPalp	In
Papuan Babbler	Garritornis isidorei	GarrIsid	In
Black Berrypecker	Melanocharis nigra	MelaNigr	Fr
Yellow-bellied Longbill	Toxorhamphus novaeguineae	ToxoNova	In
Spotted Jewel-babbler	Ptilorrhoa leucosticta	PtilLeuc	In
Blue Jewel-babbler	Ptilorrhoa caerulescens	PtilCaer	In
Yellow-breasted Boatbill	Machaerirhynchus flaviventer	MachFlav	In

Black-breasted Boatbill	Machaerirhynchus nigripectus	MachNigr	Fr
Lowland Peltops	Peltops blainvillii	PeltBlai	In
Black Butcherbird	Melloria quoyi	MellQuoy	Om
Hooded Butcherbird	Cracticus cassicus	CracCass	Om
Boyer's Cuckooshrike	Coracina boyeri	CoraBoye	Fr
White-bellied Cuckooshrike	Coracina papuensis	CoraPapu	In
Common Cicadabird	Edolisoma tenuirostre	EdolTenu	Fr
Black Cicadabird	Edolisoma melas	EdolMela	In
Black-browed Triller	Lalage atrovirens	LalaAtro	Fr
Piping Bellbird	Ornorectes cristatus	OrnoCris	In
Rusty Whistler	Pachycephala hyperythra	PachHype	In
Grey Whistler	Pachycephala simplex	PachSimp	In
Rusty Pitohui	Pseudorectes ferrugineus	PseuFerr	In
Arafura Shrikethrush	Colluricincla megarhyncha	CollMega	In
Northern Variable Pitohui	Pitohui kirhocephalus	PitoKirh	In
Hooded Pitohui	Pitohui dichrous	PitoDich	Fr
Brown Oriole	Oriolus szalayi	OrioSzal	Fr
Spangled Drongo	Dicrurus bracteatus	DicrBrac	In
Northern Fantail	Rhipidura rufiventris	RhipRufiv	In
Sooty Thicket Fantail	Rhipidura threnothorax	RhipThre	In
Black Thicket Fantail	Rhipidura maculipectus	RhipMacu	In
White-bellied Thicket Fantail	Rhipidura leucothorax	RhipLeuc	In
Rufous-backed Fantail	Rhipidura rufidorsa	RhipRufi	In
Drongo Fantail	Chaetorhynchus papuensis	ChaePapu	In
Spot-winged Monarch	Symposiachrus guttula	SympGutt	In
Hooded Monarch	Symposiachrus manadensis	SympMana	In
Black-winged Monarch	Monarcha frater	MonaFrat	In
Golden Monarch	Carterornis chrysomela	CartChry	In
Ochre-collared Monarch	Arses insularis	ArseInsu	In
Shining Flycatcher	Myiagra alecto	MyiaAlec	In
Grey Crow	Corvus tristis	CorvTris	Fr
Crinkle-collared Manucode	Manucodia chalybatus	ManuChal	Fr

Magnificent Riflebird	Ptiloris magnificus	PtilrMagn	Fr
King Bird-of-paradise	Cicinnurus regius	CiciRegi	Fr
Lesser Bird-of-paradise	Paradisaea minor	ParaMino	Fr
Black-sided Robin	Poecilodryas hypoleuca	РоесНуро	In
Olive Flyrobin	Kempiella flavovirescens	KempFlav	In
Metallic Starling	Aplonis metallica	AploMeta	Fr
Singing Starling	Aplonis cantoroides	AploCant	Fr
Yellow-faced Myna	Mino dumontii	MinoDumo	Fr
Golden Myna	Mino anais	MinoAnai	Fr
Red-capped Flowerpecker	Dicaeum geelvinkianum	DicaGeel	Fr
Black Sunbird	Leptocoma aspasia	LeptAspa	Ne
Olive-backed Sunbird	Cinnyris jugularis	CinnJugu	Ne
Streak-headed Mannikin	Mayrimunia tristissima	MayrTris	Fr

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Figure S1: Diagrams describing the variation in omnivore communities among forest types. Posthoc test results as pairwise comparisons between all types are displayed. Boxplots describe differences in **a**) omnivore density (abundance/ha) Displaying median, boxes = 25 - 75 quartiles, whiskers = non-outlier range. **b**) Results of unconstrained ordination analysis of omnivore community composition using the CANOCO 5 programme (Braak & Smilauer, 2012). Into this PCA ordination, forest type is projected as a supplementary variable (Šmilauer & Lepš, 2014). The first and second ordination axes explained together 84% of all variation, and supplementary variables account for 13 %. Species codes correspond to those listed in Supplementary material, Table S3. Explanation of forest type labels: P1 = continuous primary forest, S1 = secondary forest after subsistence agriculture, P2 = fragmented primary forest, S2 = secondary forest after clear-cutting. **c**) Illustration of a typical omnivore, the Rufous-Bellied Kookaburra (*Dacelo gaudichaud*), as drawn by Anonymized.

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